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Abstract

Forest Products Prices: 1995-1997 presents price series, often on a monthly basis, for roundwood, sawnwood, wood-based panels, woodpulp and paper and paperboard. The annex tables include price indices.

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Résumé

Prix des produits forestiers: 1995-1997 contient des séries de prix, souvent sur une base mensuelle, pour les bois ronds, les sciages, les panneaux à base de bois, les pâtes de bois et les papiers et cartons. Des indices de prix sont présentés dans les tableaux annexes.

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SYMBOLS - NOTES

... = Not available
() = Average of less than 12 months
/ = Change in specification
- = No quotations

SYMBOLES - NOTES

... = Non disponible
() = Moyenne de moins de 12 mois
/ = Changement de la spécification
- = Pas de cotations

See Timber Bulletin for standard general conversion factors
Voir le Bulletin du bois pour les coefficients de conversion généraux types

NOTES

a) Monthly indexes adjusted for differences in number of working days.
a) Indices mensuels corrigés pour tenir compte de l'inégalité du nombre de jours ouvrables.

b) Including logging and fishing, excluding publishing, gas and water.
b) Y compris l'exploitation forestière et la pêche. Non compris l'édition, le gaz et la distribution d'eau.

c) Excluding electricity.
c) Non compris l'électricité.

d) Adjusted for seasonal variations.
d) Les variations saisonnières sont éliminées.

e) Including exported products. Prices are collected from wholesalers. Exclusive of products of mining and quarrying.
e) Y compris les produits exportés. Prix recueillis auprès des grossistes. Non compris les produits des industries extractives.

f) Including production of exported products. Agricultural products and products of manufacturing industry.
f) Y compris les produits exportés. Produits agricoles et produits des industries manufacturières.

g) Agricultural products.
g) Produits agricoles.

h) Imports are valued c.i.f. Finished products only. Exclusive of products of electricity, gas and water.
h) Les importations sont évaluées à leur valeur c.a.f. Produits finis uniquement. Non compris les produits de l'électricité, du gaz et

i) Including production of exported products. Imports are valued c.i.f.. Excluding V.A.T.
i) Y compris la production des produits exportés. Les importations sont évaluées à leur valeur c.a.f. Non compris la T.V.A.

j) Including exported products. Exclusive of products of electricity, gas and water.
j) Y compris les produits exportés. Non compris les produits de l'électricité, du gaz et de l'eau.

k) Exclusive of products of electricity, gas and water.
k) Non compris les produits de l'électricité, du gaz et de l'eau.

l) Excluding agricultural products.
l) Non compris les produits agricoles.

m) Including exported products. Exclusive of products of mining and quarrying.
m) Y compris les produits exportés. Non compris les produits des industries extractives.

n) Exclusive of industrial finished goods.
n) Non compris les produits finis industriels.

p) Manufacturing industry only. Prices relate only to products for sale or transfer to other sectors or for use as capital equipment.
p) Industries manufacturières seulement. Uniquement les prix des produits destinés à être vendus ou transférés à d'autres secte utilisés comme biens d'équipement.

q) Including production of exported products. Manufacturing industry only.
q) Y compris les produits exportés. Industries manufacturières seulement.

r) Including exported products.
r) Y compris les produits exportés.

s) Including exported products. Prices are collected from wholesalers.
s) Y compris les produits exportés. Prix recueillis auprès des grossistes.

SPECIFICATIONS

Table 1 : ROUNDWOOD

PULPWOOD

Austria	- Spruce/fir, free roadside in Styria.
Czech Republic	- Coniferous, at roadside.
Estonia	- Pine, average price at mill site.
	- Spruce, average price at mill site.
	- Birch, average price at mill site.
Finland	- Pine, stumpage price in private forests.
	- Spruce, stumpage price in private forests.
	- Birch, stumpage price in private forests.
Lithuania	- Pine, export price, free Klaipeda harbour or Lithuanian border.
	- Spruce, export price, free Klaipeda harbour or Lithuanian border.
	- Birch, export price, free Klaipeda harbour or Lithuanian border.
Norway	- Pine, export unit value, FOB.
	- Spruce, export unit value, FOB.
Slovenia	- Coniferous, at roadside.
	- Beech, at roadside.
Canada	- Chips, coniferous, export uit value, FOB.

CONIFEROUS LOGS

Austria	- Spruce/fir, free roadside in Styria.
Canada	- Total, coastal area of British Columbia.
Czech Republic	- Sawlogs, quality IIIa, at roadside.
	- Veneer logs, quality I, at roadside.
Estonia	- Pine, average price at mill site.
	- Spruce, average price at mill site.
Finland	- Pine, stumpage price in private forests.
	- Spruce, stumpage price in private forests.
Lithuania	- Pine, at roadside in state forests.
	- Spruce, at roadside in state forests.
Norway	- Export unit value, FOB.
Slovenia	- Pine, at roadside.
	- Spruce/fir, at roadside.
Sweden	- Pine, average delivery price.
	- Spruce, average delivery price.
Switzerland	- Spruce/fir, forest roadside.
Japan	- Cedar, domestic (14-22cm x 3.65-4.0m).
	- Douglas fir (30cm x 6.0m).
	- from former USSR (20-28cm x 3.8m).

NON-CONIFEROUS LOGS (temperate zone)

Czech Republic	- Sawlogs, quality IIIa, at roadside.
	- Veneer logs, quality I, at roadside.
Estonia	- Birch, average price at mill site.
Finland	- Birch, stumpage price in private forests.
Lithuania	- Ash, at roadside in state forests.
	- Alder, at roadside in state forests.
	- Birch, at roadside in state forests.
	- Oak, at roadside in state forests.
Slovenia	- Beech, at roadside.
	- Oak, at roadside.
Switzerland	- Beech, export unit value, FOB.
	- Oak, export unit value, FOB.

TROPICAL LOGS

Cameroon	- Bibolo, LM, FOB Douala.
	- N'Gollon, LM, FOB Douala.
	- Sapele, LM, FOB Douala.
Gabon	- Acajou, LM, FOB Owendo.
	- Sipo, 70-79 cm., LM, FOB Owendo.
	- Sipo, 80-89 cm., LM, FOB Owendo.
Japan	- Lauan for plywood (60cm x 6.0m)

Table 2 : SAWNWOOD

CONIFEROUS SAWNWOOD

Austria	- Spruce/fir, mill run, wholesale price in Styria.
	- Spruce/fir, class 0-II, broad, free at railway station.
	- Spruce/fir, class IV, all breadths, free at railway station.
Canada	- Spruce, balsam fir, lodgepole pine, British Columbia.
Finland	- Export unit value, lumber, FOB.
France	- Maritime pine, structural grade, planks 3 to 5 m.
	- Spruce/fir, standard structural grade (75 x 225 or 63 x 160 x 3 to 5m.)
Norway	- Export unit value, excluding planed wood, FOB.
Poland	- Class III, thickness 19-25 cm.
Slovenia	- Spruce, 24mm., producer price, franco ex works.
Switzerland	- Spruce/fir boards, edged, class II-III.
United Kingdom	- Average import price, CIF, from Russian Federation.
	- Average import price, CIF, from Canada.
Japan	- Cedar, domestic (10.5cm. x 10.5cm. x 3.0m.)
	- Hemlock, (10.5cm. x 10.5cm. x 3.0m.)
	- from Russian Federation, strips, 3.0-3.6cm. x 4.5cm. x 3.65-4.0m.

NON-CONIFEROUS SAWNWOOD (Temperate zone)

France	- Beech, 27-54mm thick, 40+ cm. diameter, 3+ m. long 3 months drying, Grade FB1.
	- Oak, 27mm thick, 8cm. wide, 60-90cm. long 3 months drying, Framing grade QF1.
Italy	- Slovenian oak boards, first quality, import price CIF, at depot in Milan.
	- Slovenian beech boards, first quality, import price CIF, at depot in Milan.
Slovenia	- Beech, producer price, franco ex works.
United States	- Red Oak, 1", square edged, CIF United Kingdom.
	- Red Oak, 1.5", square edged, CIF United Kingdom.
	- White Oak, 1", square edged, CIF United Kingdom.
	- White Oak, 1.5", square edged, CIF United Kingdom.
	- Ash, 1", square edged, CIF United Kingdom.

TROPICAL SAWNWOOD

Brazil	- Mahogany (Swietania), FAS, 6"+ x 6'+, 1"-2" KD, C&F
Cameroon	- Sipo, FAS, 6"+ x 6'+, FOB.
Ghana	- Utile, FAS, 6"+ x 6'+, FOB.
	- Sapele, FAS, 6"+ x 6'+, FOB.
Ivory Coast	- Sipo, FAS, 6"+ x 6'+,1"-2" thick., FOB.
	- Mahogany, FAS, 6"+ x 6'+,1"-2" thick., FOB.
	- Samba, FAS, 6"+ x 6'+,1"-2" thick., FOB.
Malaysia	- Select and Better, GMS, C&F United Kingdom :
	- Dark Red Seraya/Meranti
	- Keruing
	- Kapur
	- Average domestic price, ex-mill, 50-75mm. x 75-150mm.
	- Merbau
	- Dark Red Meranti
	- Light Red Meranti
	- Jelotung

SPECIFICATIONS (Continued)

Table 3 : WOOD-BASED PANELS

PLYWOOD
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Japan - Lauan plywood, 1.2cm x 90.0cm x 1.80m.
Poland - Non-coniferous, for dry use, Class III, 5mm. thick.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

VENEER SHEETS
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

PARTICLE BOARD
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Norway - Export unit value, FOB.
Poland - Common, Class I, 18mm. thick.
Switzerland - Export unit value, FOB.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

OSB
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.

FIBREBOARD (TOTAL)
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Norway - Export unit value, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

HARDBOARD
Poland - Common, Class I, 3.2mm. thick.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

INSULATING BOARD
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

Table 4 : WOODPULP

MECHANICAL
Norway - Dry, export unit value, FOB.
Sweden - Dry, export price, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

CHEMICAL - SULPHATE, BLEACHED
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Norway - Dry, export unit value, FOB.
Sweden - Dry, export price, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

CHEMICAL - SULPHATE, UNBLEACHED
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Sweden - Dry, export price, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

Table 4 : WOODPULP (Continued)

CHEMICAL - SULPHITE, BLEACHED
Norway - Coniferous, export unit value, FOB.
Sweden - Dry, export price, FOB.
Switzerland - Export unit value, FOB.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

CHEMICAL - SULPHITE, UNBLEACHED
Sweden - Dry, export price, FOB.

SEMI-CHEMICAL
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Norway - Export unit value, FOB.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

DISSOLVING
Norway - Export unit value, FOB.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

Table 5 : PAPER & PAPERBOARD

NEWSPRINT
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

PRINTING & WRITING PAPER
Finland - Export unit value, FOB.
Norway - Export unit value, FOB.
Switzerland - Import unit value, CIF.
United Kingdom - Import unit value, CIF.

OTHER PAPER & PAPERBOARD
Finland - Fluting, export unit value, FOB.
- Kraftliner, export unit value, FOB.
- Sack kraft, export unit value, FOB.

Switzerland - Kraftliner, import unit value, FOB.
United Kingdom - Kraftliner, import unit value, FOB.
- Sack kraft, import unit value, FOB.
- Other kraft, import unit value, FOB.

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BOIS RONDS

BOIS DE TRITURATION

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Austria					**Spruce/fir**				**Schillings / cubic metre**				
1995	405	405	407	407	407	407	409	409	409	435	435	435	414
1996	430	425	425	415	395	392	391	390	390	390	390	390	402
1997	390	390	390	390	390	390	388	388	388	388	388	388	389
Czech Republic					**Coniferous**				**Koruna / cubic metre**				
1995	596	656	657	692	684	705	708	707	702	700	714	719	687
1996	707	711	724	685	655	639	626	621	646	630	638	685	664
1997	626	662	654	680	672	666	666	669	680	681	735	726	676
Estonia					**Pine**				**Kroon / cubic metre**				
1995	374	373	363	367	363	339	345	336	319	320	283	254	336
1996	258	227	231	224	200	210	217	223	230	234	245	250	229
1997	242	245	246	255	267	275	264	274	260	266	276	271	262
Estonia					**Spruce**				**Kroon / cubic metre**				
1995	389	382	377	373	367	340	332	360	338	365	326	325	356
1996	258	224	230	196	210	210	221	240	260	265	279	280	239
1997	261	260	260	270	251	258	246	251	263	277	277	272	262
Estonia					**Birch**				**Kroon / cubic metre**				
1995	385	389	382	374	361	380	399	393	384	365	335	298	370
1996	298	261	244	200	215	215	226	245	268	261	276	283	249
1997	276	278	281	297	303	300	296	298	299	321	322	319	299
Finland					**Pine**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	77 0	79 2	92 3	97 3	95 6	94 1	92 5	93 5	91 7	92 4	95 2	95 4	93 0
1996	96 7	98 5	96 4	97 6	84 1	84 3	89 7	92 6	94 7	96 1	96 4	98 1	96 0
1997	97 1	96 3	96 1	96 2	96 0	96 9	94 4	94 4	94 3	93 2	91 1	91 1	94 5
Finland					**Spruce**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	97 2	98 0	108 4	112 2	113 9	111 7	109 5	109 1	107 2	107 8	110 9	113 4	109 7
1996	114 1	114 9	115 8	114 2	108 4	113 5	113 8	118 4	122 9	123 5	123 9	123 8	120 4
1997	126 3	126 8	128 0	128 9	130 9	130 2	130 6	128 7	129 2	128 1	127 0	124 4	128 5
Finland					**Birch**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	77 9	79 1	98 7	102 9	102 2	99 8	98 7	99 1	96 9	96 2	98 8	101 3	98 2
1996	100 7	101 0	99 3	99 6	80 1	82 9	87 2	90 0	91 3	93 1	93 4	94 2	94 8
1997	95 0	94 1	94 6	94 1	94 4	93 4	93 0	92 1	93 3	91 9	90 2	90 7	92 8
Lithuania					**Pine**				**Litas / cubic metre**				
1995	107	107	114	112	105	97	96	93	100	104	103	95	103
1996	87	77	71	72	79	85	78	82	82	85	85	85	81
1997	93	93	93	93	92	89	83	80	81	81	82	83	87
Lithuania					**Spruce**				**Litas / cubic metre**				
1995	102	105	107	104	103	101	98	100	92	86	82	81	97
1996	73	67	66	62	59	53	55	56	58	63	66	69	62
1997	72	78	77	77	79	82	73	73	75	74	76	79	76
Lithuania					**Birch**				**Litas / cubic metre**				
1995	117	116	116	119	123	125	126	126	127	127	119	98	120
1996	95	83	84	76	67	77	79	79	82	87	88	89	82
1997	95	96	96	98	98	96	95	92	92	93	97	98	96
Norway					**Pine, export unit value**				**Kroner / cubic metre**				
1995	310 96	305 47	362 47	380 04	333 50	377 13	267 12	296 51	261 46	276 37	290 45	300 65	313 51
1996	290 87	306 27	365 66	378 37	366 67	281 35	272 36	324 49	245 59	231 94	227 38	296 03	298 91
1997	289 58	254 89	287 86	233 99	359 57	276 64	218 06	243 54	240 65	229 82	233 86	219 16	257 30

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Norway					**Spruce, export unit value**				**Kroner / cubic metre**				
1995	265 06	308 43	288 34	294 94	289 99	290 07	302 14	274 43	269 04	299 68	332 77	290 68	292 13
1996	335 91	293 86	300 47	296 00	296 29	293 20	328 93	293 14	264 97	265 50	281 43	297 24	295 58
1997	248 06	274 40	278 45	268 92	286 34	270 07	265 08	277 35	239 03	281 07	272 04	301 34	271 85
Slovenia					**Coniferous**				**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**				
1995	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900
1996	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7110	7110	7110	7703
1997	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900	7900
Slovenia					**Beech**				**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**				
1995	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500	4500
1996	4500	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5142
1997	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200
Canada					**Chips, coniferous**				**Canadian dollar / bone dry unit**				
1995	136 95	146 53	149 19	177 17	185 31	228 32	219 04	217 42	213 44	223 12	211 65	195 33	191 96
1996	177 72	167 96	132 59	95 61	84 18	72 63	74 07	75 44	71 97	76 35	73 55	71 46	97 79
1997	85 03	72 21	72 17	72 25	72 62	76 09	78 58	61 10	84 56	85 10	89 20	88 84	78 15

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CONIFEROUS LOGS

GRUMES DE CONIFERES

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Austria					**Spruce/fir, floor price**				**Schillings / cubic metre**				
1995	965	970	970	960	940	915	910	910	910	930	920	920	910
1996	890	870	845	825	825	820	820	835	860	880	900	910	820
1997	915	920	920	925	925	925	930	940	960	975	995	995	915
Austria					**Spruce/fir, ceiling price**				**Schillings / cubic metre**				
1995	1070	1080	1080	1070	1070	1060	1040	1050	1060	1060	1050	1050	1080
1996	1030	1020	980	950	945	940	940	940	965	980	980	1000	1030
1997	1010	1010	1010	1020	1020	1020	1020	1040	1070	1100	1100	1100	1100
Canada					**Total**				**Canadian dollar / cubic metre**				
1995	113.37	125.50	133.06	113.81	129.96	117.94	124.04	120.85	107.78	105.10	108.29	96.60	116.36
1996	113.53	102.05	109.27	123.21	101.63	107.13	115.01	91.98	112.46	100.46	115.20	98.60	107.54
1997	119.56	109.60	104.35	107.64	119.59	126.44	107.47	112.00	105.93	107.83	96.92	96.80	109.51
Czech Republic					**Sawlogs**				**Koruna / cubic metre**				
1995	1435	1492	1504	1534	1541	1512	1568	1556	1570	1563	1554	1545	1531
1996	1573	1579	1602	1546	1486	1464	1476	1450	1445	1458	1486	1496	1505
1997	1508	1531	1541	1555	1540	1553	1566	1608	1638	1671	1676	1702	1591
Czech Republic					**Veneer logs**				**Koruna / cubic metre**				
1995	3884	3863	3901	4075	3838	3788	3900	3575	4000	3633	3670	3911	3837
1996	3984	3934	3999	3802	3580	3717	3600	3450	3453	3380	3962	3873	3728
1997	3850	4016	4007	3965	3913	3984	...	3767	...	3980	4073	4064	(3962)
Estonia					**Pine**				**Kroon / cubic metre**				
1995	548	535	545	550	543	525	525	550	518	535	566	550	541
1996	542	524	508	510	520	443	430	495	525	508	519	514	503
1997	513	513	514	521	525	497	522	537	573	546	556	572	532
Estonia					**Spruce**				**Kroon / cubic metre**				
1995	560	535	545	550	543	525	525	500	480	430	465	466	510
1996	433	405	434	425	415	430	450	485	483	506	534	558	463
1997	500	500	500	535	544	542	527	540	556	550	573	594	538
Finland					**Pine**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	228.8	229.0	247.0	253.3	254.5	251.6	247.5	248.4	244.3	242.0	240.6	244.0	247.1
1996	240.8	241.7	241.8	239.3	233.8	233.1	240.0	239.6	243.8	245.2	247.1	248.1	243.8
1997	250.9	251.8	255.4	264.4	267.0	266.9	266.6	265.0	267.7	267.3	265.7	263.9	264.7
Finland					**Spruce**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	187.0	187.3	198.4	203.6	205.5	201.2	197.5	195.2	191.4	188.7	189.5	192.4	197.6
1996	191.1	192.4	194.0	193.0	188.9	193.1	193.0	198.6	203.3	203.9	205.4	206.1	200.4
1997	207.7	209.0	211.1	215.7	218.9	219.5	220.7	219.0	220.3	219.3	217.8	215.9	217.6
Lithuania					**Pine**				**Litas / cubic metre**				
1995	144	152	156	146	148	150	148	151	149	159	154	143	150
1996	155	155	157	156	147	148	143	150	147	151	150	149	151
1997	166	164	162	158	158	158	161	162	166	169	171	173	164
Lithuania					**Spruce**				**Litas / cubic metre**				
1995	120	124	121	119	118	119	116	113	115	113	113	111	117
1996	111	109	110	111	113	116	113	113	116	120	126	130	116
1997	143	143	143	146	148	148	148	149	149	156	156	157	149

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Norway					**Export unit value**				**Kroner / cubic metre**				
1995	507.61	619.16	541.03	586.38	694.27	556.34	576.97	454.89	615.86	531.53	535.53	443.66	555.27
1996	629.80	689.85	501.89	547.35	569.38	489.47	584.35	419.31	443.43	490.40	522.66	480.51	530.70
1997	535.74	449.73	498.13	569.21	528.51	493.89	408.88	433.16	582.52	521.97	454.81	480.73	496.44
Slovenia					**Pine**				**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**				
1995	9540	9540	9540	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9878
1996	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990	9990
1997	9990	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9900	9908
Slovenia					**Spruce / fir**				**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**				
1995	8500	8500	8500	8500	8500	8500	8500	8500	9700	9700	9700	9700	8900
1996	9700	9700	9700	10200	10200	10200	10200	10200	10200	10200	10200	10200	10075
1997	10200	10200	10600	10600	10600	10600	10600	10600	10600	10600	10600	10600	10533
Sweden					**Pine**				**Kronor / cubic metre**				
1995	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	454
1996	421	421	421	421	397	397	397	397	391	391	391	391	409
1997	412	412	412	412	410	410	410	410	452	452	452	452	423
Sweden					**Spruce**				**Kronor / cubic metre**				
1995	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	404
1996	358	358	358	358	348	348	348	348	372	372	372	372	358
1997	408	408	408	408	409	409	409	409	420	420	420	420	411
Switzerland					**Spruce / fir a/**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	130.30	130.30	130.30	130.30	126.21	126.21	126.21	126.21	120.01	120.01	120.01	120.01	125.51
1996 /	121.77	121.77	121.77	121.77	118.09	118.09	118.09	118.09	116.08	116.08	116.08	116.08	118.65
1997	114.42	114.42	114.42	114.42	115.94	115.94	115.94	115.94	120.64	120.64	120.64	120.64	117.00
Japan					**Cedar, domestic**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	23000	23500	23100	22500	22100	21600	21300	21300	21700	22100	22400	22200	22233
1996	22000	22000	21800	21400	21100	21100	21800	22400	23200	23700	24000	23800	22358
1997	23500	22600	21600	21500	21300	20700	20400						
Japan					**Douglas fir**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	30900	31500	31800	31600	30900	30000	29400	29000	29100	29400	29800	30600	30333
1996	31500	32600	33200	33400	33200	33100	33000	33300	33800	34500	34800	35300	33475
1997	35200	35400	35100	35100	34800	34300	33600						
Japan					**USSR**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	22200	22500	22800	22500	21400	20000	19100	18500	18200	18200	18500	18700	20217
1996	18700	19000	19500	19100	18900	18700	18700	19300	20100	21100	22100	22600	19817
1997	23100	23600	23700	23700	23100	22600	21800						

a/ As from January 1996, spruce only.
a/ A partir de janvier 1996, épicéa seulement.

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Czech Republic					**Sawlogs**					**Koruna / cubic metre**			
1995	1631	1730	1778	1663	1643	1669	1659	1700	1596	1600	1704	1750	1677
1996	1691	1736	1707	1715	1695	1569	1555	1499	1571	1637	1682	1657	1643
1997	1680	1687	1760	1690	1671	1575	1591	1511	1526	1551	1668	1704	1635
Czech Republic					**Veneer logs**					**Koruna / cubic metre**			
1995	6775	6896	8134	7248	6482	6690	7433	8100	..	7500	8857	6632	(7341)
1996	5410	5995	7968	6100	6194	8733	5000	6500	..	..	6967	7442	(6631)
1997	7456	6565	6469	7994	6147	8225	..	..	..	..	6583	7264	(7088)
Estonia					**Birch**					**Kroon / cubic metre**			
1995	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1996	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1997	357	357	413	406	408	417	418	405	430	446	481	475	418
Finland					**Birch**					**Markka / cubic metre**			
1995	229.5	229.7	244.8	250.7	250.9	247.0	244.5	243.9	242.9	237.5	235.3	234.1	244.1
1996	234.9	237.9	238.0	241.8	229.6	230.9	240.2	239.1	242.0	245.2	245.3	246.9	242.1
1997	247.9	250.6	252.1	260.9	264.6	262.8	262.9	260.4	264.0	263.8	263.6	262.9	261.4
Lithuania					**Ash**					**Litas / cubic metre**			
1995	202	202	183	190	195	201	188	197	181	202	205	220	197
1996	221	222	222	226	213	222	225	242	256	269	274	277	239
1997	277	254	248	258	249	236	225	211	223	206	217	202	234
Lithuania					**Alder**					**Litas / cubic metre**			
1995	92	96	96	95	96	94	92	91	97	95	99	100	95
1996	114	106	106	105	103	85	86	100	102	103	96	102	101
1997	106	111	109	109	105	106	98	106	108	108	126	113	109
Lithuania					**Birch**					**Litas / cubic metre**			
1995	108	117	114	115	117	119	120	122	122	122	127	129	119
1996	135	135	136	131	128	125	117	132	132	133	130	130	130
1997	137	139	139	136	132	130	124	127	130	133	134	136	133
Lithuania					**Oak**					**Litas / cubic metre**			
1995	218	212	194	215	236	226	240	236	231	268	288	272	236
1996	266	283	309	284	278	289	291	296	317	308	311	286	293
1997	320	327	317	298	324	301	293	328	306	336	301	308	313
Slovenia					**Beech**					**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**			
1995	11000	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11550	11504
1996	11550	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12293
1997	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360	12360
Slovenia					**Oak**					**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**			
1995	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000	34000
1996	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500
1997	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500	36500
Switzerland					**Beech, export unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	163.14	162.61	160.06	163.96	164.04	141.54	145.23	127.52	141.14	143.22	190.42	172.90	156.32
1996	180.03	178.11	170.99	157.80	160.25	140.34	121.97	110.89	119.91	128.03	147.36	177.66	149.44
1997	179.44	174.72	174.14	170.15	153.72	168.80	121.34	97.23	137.82	169.28	182.64	188.00	159.77
Switzerland					**Oak, export unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	183.66	177.84	197.24	182.44	163.57	222.86	156.63	364.94	201.33	191.12	231.72	223.64	208.08
1996	225.71	314.63	248.45	160.58	175.77	204.26	147.75	181.82	205.88	150.20	167.68	177.51	196.69
1997	151.14	147.94	154.73	212.86	121.80	132.08	152.03	115.76	144.77	200.45	140.75	136.17	150.87

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Cameroon					**Bibolo**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1550	1500	1475	1475	1350	1300	1265	1265	1265	1265	1265	1265	1353
1996	1265	1265	1265	1265	1275	1275	1250	1250	1250	1350	1350	1375	1286
1997	1375	1425	1450	1450	1450	1450	1500	1500	1500	1500	1450	1450	1458
Cameroon					**N'Gollon**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1700	1650	1600	1600	1450	1450	1420	1420	1420	1400	1400	1400	1493
1996	1400	1375	1375	1355	1275	1275	1250	1250	1250	1400	1450	1475	1344
1997	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1500	1500	1500	1650	1600	1550	1475
Cameroon					**Sapele**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1725	1675	1650	1650	1530	1475	1450	1450	1425	1400	1400	1400	1519
1996	1400	1375	1375	1380	1450	1450	1450	1450	1450	1550	1550	1575	1455
1997	1550	1600	1600	1600	1600	1650	1700	1700	1700	1750	1700	1700	1654
Gabon					**Acajou**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1450	1450	1450	1450	1400	1400	1350	1350	1350	1340	1300	1300	1383
1996	1275	1250	1225	1200	1200	1200	1175	1175	1175	1225	1250	1275	1219
1997	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1275	1300	1300	1300	1450	1400	1300	1308
Gabon					**Sipo, 70-79 cm**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1900	1850	1850	1850	1750	1750	1700	1650	1600	1650	1600	1600	1729
1996	1600	1600	1550	1560	1560	1560	1560	1560	1560	1660	1700	1700	1598
1997	1650	1700	1700	1700	1700	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1750	1725
Gabon					**Sipo, 80-89 cm**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	2300	2275	2275	2275	1900	1900	1900	1850	1800	1800	1750	1750	1981
1996	1750	1750	1750	1760	1760	1760	1760	1760	1760	1860	1900	1900	1789
1997	1850	1900	1900	1900	1900	1950	1950	1950	1950	1950	1950	1950	1925
Japan					**Lauan for plywood**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	30100	30200	30100	29300	29000	28200	27100	27200	27500	27600	27900	28300	28542
1996	28400	29100	29800	30100	30200	30400	30700	30400	30600	30200	30600	30500	30083
1997	30700	31200	31100	31100	31200	31100	30900						

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Austria					**Spruce / fir, wholesale price**				**Schillings / cubic metre**				
1995	2850	2850	2780	2780	2780	2780	2730	2670	2670	2600	2600	2500	2716
1996	2500	2450	2420	2400	2400	2450	2500	2550	2570	2600	2650	2650	2512
1997	2650	2650	2650	2650	2650	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	2679
Austria					**Spruce / fir, class 0-II**				**Schillings / cubic metre**				
1995	3700	3700	3700	3750	3750	3750	3780	3780	...	3750	3750	3700	(3737)
1996	3750	3700	3700	3650	3600	3550	3550	3550	3600	3550	3550	3550	3608
1997	3530	3600	3650	3660	3650	3650	3650	3700	3750	3770	3780	3800	3683
Austria					**Spruce / fir, class IV**				**Schillings / cubic metre**				
1995	1700	1720	1720	1720	1720	1720	1700	1700	1700	1700	1700	1680	1707
1996	1700	1600	1600	1590	1590	1580	1620	1620	1650	1680	1680	1680	1633
1997	1810	1820	1820	1820	1830	1830	1830	1850	1850	1860	1870	1900	1841
Canada					**British Columbia**				**Canadian Dollar / 1000 feet board measure**				
1995	423.86	420.85	407.58	368.45	346.89	316.25	342.58	350.28	378.20	358.62	339.61	333.23	365.53
1996	350.19	360.62	369.71	395.60	445.15	457.95	484.75	492.53	523.27	484.34	503.51	514.68	448.53
1997	478.64	481.55	460.37	454.52	444.18	463.13	488.95	461.89	440.03	414.13	410.49	403.39	450.11
Finland					**Export unit value**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	1158	1120	1123	1084	1055	1025	969	922	908	933	879	857	1006
1996	919	947	911	910	903	893	912	889	931	955	962	976	926
1997	1029	1076	1085	1105	1154	1140	1151	1142	1171	1150	1124	1039	1114
France					**Maritime pine**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1100	1100	1100	1110	1110	1110	1110	1110	1110	1110	1110	1110	1108
1996	1130	1130	1130	1090	1090	1090	1090	1090	1090	1115	1115	1115	1106
1997	1080	1080	1080	1075	1075	1075	1125	1125	1125	1145	1145	1145	1106
France					**Spruce / fir**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1115	1115	1115	1090	1090	1090	1060	1060	1060	1045	1045	1045	1078
1996	1015	1015	1015	975	975	975	970	970	970	980	980	980	985
1997	995	995	995	1015	1015	1015	1020	1020	1020	1040	1040	1040	1018
Norway					**Export unit value**				**Kroner / cubic metre**				
1995	1740	1728	1708	1695	1629	1575	1530	1491	1422	1316	1291	1303	1536
1996	1263	1287	1300	1294	1300	1264	1289	1289	1340	1302	1386	1375	1307
1997	1393	1447	1510	1544	1683	1483	1546	1537	1521	1465	1396	1412	1495
Poland					**Domestic, class III**				**New Zlotys / cubic metre**				
1995	265	265	265	280	280	280	290	290	290	295	295	295	283
1996	290	310	310	310	310	310	312	312	312	312	312	312	309
1997	305	317	317	309	317	314	314	315	320	320	327	325	317
Slovenia					**Spruce**				**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**				
1995	18672	19233	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18719
1996	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	18672	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	19510
1997	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682	20682

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Switzerland					**Spruce / fir, edged boards**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	278.88	278.88	278.88	278.88	277.51	277.51	277.51	277.51	276.00	276.00	276.00	276.00	277.46
1996	271.00	271.00	271.00	271.00	269.20	269.20	269.20	269.20	268.85	268.85	268.85	268.85	269.68
1997	265.40	265.40	265.40	265.40	263.35	263.35	263.35	263.35	262.63	262.63	262.63	262.63	263.79
United Kingdom					**Import price from Russian Fed.**				**Pound Sterling / cubic metre**				
1995	127.30	134.59	131.09	125.85	128.43	127.32	130.14	123.44	133.12	109.48	109.12	112.41	124.36
1996	108.67	122.69	118.04	120.79	116.47	130.04	114.55	118.05	124.04	112.93	115.11	109.67	117.59
1997	122.46	135.96	136.03	125.67	121.43	127.23	129.74	122.89	126.62	121.05	107.37	117.53	124.50
United Kingdom					**Import price from Canada**				**Pound Sterling / cubic metre**				
1995	157.82	182.00	179.77	183.91	194.02	174.56	143.29	185.86	196.01	206.63	206.45	168.62	181.58
1996	86.67	154.47	180.41	165.62	156.74	187.18	190.89	237.80	200.65	167.57	236.27	131.28	174.63
1997	162.83	149.46	186.99	158.44	162.18	160.86	159.52	273.37	175.32	189.97	227.62	153.77	180.03
Japan					**Cedar, domestic**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	66400	66300	66300	65400	65300	64600	62100	61400	61000	60600	60800	60900	63425
1996	61400	61500	61100	61200	60600	60800	60800	61200	62700	65500	67400	69200	62783
1997	69500	69600	67000	67000	65300	64200	63800						
Japan					**Hemlock**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	60500	60800	60800	59300	58900	57400	55700	54600	53800	53600	53500	53800	56892
1996	54800	54600	55300	55300	54800	54600	55100	56100	56900	58000	60500	61500	56458
1997	61900	62100	61500	61100	60000	59700	59200						
Japan					**From Russian Federation**				**Yen / cubic metre**				
1995	55300	56100	56100	52100	54100	54400	52700	51500	51100	50300	50300	50400	52867
1996	50500	50500	48900	49200	49900	49700	49400	49700	51200	52400	54600	56100	51008
1997	57400	57500	56500	57300	56800	54900	56000						

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NON-CONIFEROUS SAWNWOOD (Temperate zone)

SCIAGES NON-CONIFERES (Zone tempérée)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
France					**Beech**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	2060	2060	2060	2195	2195	2195	2275	2275	2275	2320	2320	2320	2213
1996	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	2200	2255	2255	2255	2185	2185	2185	2210
1997	2280	2280	2280	2315	2315	2315	2330	2330	2330	2360	2360	2360	2321
France					**Oak**				**Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	4970	4970	4970	5020	5020	5020	5185	5185	5185	5165	5165	5165	5085
1996	5140	5140	5140	4845	4845	4845	4745	4745	4745	4660	4660	4660	4848
1997	4530	4530	4530	4460	4460	4460	4450	4450	4450	4385	4385	4385	4456
Italy					**Slovenian beech boards**				**1000 Lire / cubic metre**				
1995	1025	1025	1028	1082	1136	1175	1175	1175	1175	1180	1200	1200	1131
1996	1189	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1153
1997	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150	1150
Italy					**Slovenian oak boards**				**1000 Lire / cubic metre**				
1995	1775	1775	1775	1775	1775	1777	1800	1800	1800	1805	1825	1825	1792
1996	1825	1825	1825	1825	1825	1825	1825	1825	1821	1800	1800	1800	1818
1997	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800
Slovenia					**Beech**				**Slovenian Tolar / cubic metre**				
1995	22184	22184	22184	22184	22184	22184	22184	22184	23000	23000	23000	23000	22456
1996	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000
1997	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000	23000
United States					**Red oak, 1"**				**U.S. Dollar / 1000 feet board measure**				
1995	2095	2190	...	2180	...	2025	2025	2025	1850	1850	...	1920	(2018)
1996	1820	1800	1800	1800	1730	1760	1760	1760	1760	1760	1840	1840	1786
1997	1840	1895	1895	...	1930	1930	1930	1930	1930	1910	1910	1880	(1907)
United States					**Red Oak, 1.5"**				**U.S. dollar / 1000 feet board measure**				
1995	2220	2335	...	2350	...	2305	2305	2305	2200	2200	...	2160	(2264)
1996	2060	2050	2050	2050	2050	2075	2050	2050	2050	2080	2250	2250	2089
1997	2250	2210	2210	...	2245	2245	2245	2245	2245	2185	2185	2125	(2217)
United States					**White Oak, 1"**				**U.S. dollar / 1000 feet board measure**				
1995	1740	1760	...	1800	...	1800	1800	1800	1850	1850	...	1800	(1800)
1996	1800	1800	1780	1780	1740	1740	1740	1740	1740	1740	1780	1780	1763
1997	1780	1810	1810	...	1810	1810	1810	1810	1810	1810	1775	1750	(1799)
United States					**White Oak, 1.5"**				**U.S. dollar / 1000 feet board measure**				
1995	2280	2300	...	2315	...	2315	2315	2315	2315	2315	...	2315	(2309)
1996	2315	2315	2310	2310	2240	2240	2190	2190	2190	2190	2310	2310	2259
1997	2310	2265	2265	...	2265	2265	2265	2265	2265	2265	2265	2250	(2268)
United States					**Ash, 1"**				**U.S. dollar / 1000 feet board measure**				
1995	1610	1630	...	1645	...	1655	1655	1655	1590	1590	...	1590	(1624)
1996	1500	1500	1430	1430	1430	1430	1400	1350	1350	1290	1375	1375	1405
1997	1385	1380	1380	...	1350	1350	1320	1350	1300	1300	1300	1300	(1338)

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Brazil					**Mahogany (Swietania)**				**U.S. Dollar / cubic metre**				
1995	1055	1055	1075	1085	1105	1105	1110	1110	1120	1120	1110	1120	1098
1996	1110	1130	1145	1150	1150	1150	1135	1135	1135	1140	1160	1200	1145
1997	1230	1250	1250	1250	1250	1250	1250	1200	1200	1200	1260	1260	1238
Cameroon					**Sipo**				**French Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	4200	4100	3900	3800	3800	3800	3600	3600	3600	3500	3100	3100	3675
1996	2950	2900	2850	2850	3000	3100	3100	3100	3100	3350	3350	3350	3083
1997	3350	3600	3700	3800	3900	3950	3950	3950	3950	4000	4000	4000	3846
Ghana					**Utile**				**Pound sterling / cubic foot**				
1995	14.50	14.50	14.00	13.90	13.90	13.80	14.00	13.50	13.60	13.00	11.50	11.30	13.46
1996	10.90	10.50	10.50	10.30	11.00	11.05	11.00	11.00	11.30	11.20	11.20	11.25	10.93
1997	10.80	10.90	10.90	11.20	11.50	10.80	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.11
Ghana					**Sapele**				**Pound sterling / cubic foot**				
1995	11.70	11.70	11.60	11.50	11.50	11.50	12.00	11.40	11.15	11.00	10.60	10.50	11.35
1996	10.30	9.75	9.40	9.60	9.65	10.00	9.70	9.50	9.85	10.00	9.90	10.00	9.80
1997	9.40	9.60	9.60	9.80	10.35	9.70	10.00	9.80	9.80	9.80	9.90	9.90	9.80
Ivory Coast					**Sipo**				**French Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	4200	4000	3800	3750	3700	3650	3600	3550	3500	3500	3000	3000	3604
1996	2800	2750	2700	2700	2700	2750	2750	2750	2750	3000	3100	3100	2821
1997	3100	3300	3400	3500	3600	3600	3650	3650	3650	3750	3750	3750	3558
Ivory Coast					**Mahogany**				**French Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	2750	2750	2750	2770	2700	2700	2650	2650	2600	2500	2250	2250	2610
1996	2250	2200	2200	2200	2200	2250	2200	2200	2200	2400	2400	2400	2258
1997	2400	2500	2500	2600	2750	2750	2750	3000	3000	3000	2900	2900	2754
Ivory Coast					**Samba**				**French Francs / cubic metre**				
1995	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	1550	1550	1550	1588
1996	1550	1400	1400	1425	1400	1400	1400	1400	1400	1450	1500	1500	1435
1997	1550	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	1575	1575	1575	1525	1500	1500	1567
Malaysia					**Dark Red Seraya/Meranti**				**Malaysian Ringgit / metric ton**				
1995	3050	2850	2700	2700	2800	2800	2740	2720	2700	2700	2700	2700	2763
1996	2750	2700	2750	2770	2750	2720	2700	2700	2750	2790	2790	2725	2741
1997	2730	2750	2800	2800	2800	2800	2725	2700	2670	2650	2650	2695	2731
Malaysia					**Keruing**				**Malaysian Ringgit / metric ton**				
1995	1920	1900	1900	1900	1920	1920	1900	1800	1750	1750	1750	1730	1845
1996	1700	1750	1780	1750	1750	1800	1800	1800	1850	1780	1770	1740	1773
1997	1740	1750	1745	1745	1740	1740	1700	1700	1700	1700	1700	1730	1724
Malaysia					**Kapur**				**Malaysian Ringgit / metric ton**				
1995	1900	1875	1825	1825	1850	1850	1830	1700	1680	1680	1680	1650	1779
1996	1600	1650	1700	1670	1670	1680	1680	1720	1770	1770	1760	1740	1701
1997	1740	1750	1745	1745	1740	1740	1700	1700	1700	1700	1700	1730	1724

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Malaysia					**Merbau**					**Malaysian Ringgit / cubic metre**			
1995	1193	1114	1084	1064	1050	1100	1100	1050	1010	1000	990	900	1055
1996	900	920	940	945	1150	1155	1160	1145	1160	1145	1145	1160	1077
1997	1145	1145	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1135	1140	1150	1150	1180	1141
Malaysia					**Dark Red Meranti**					**Malaysian Ringgit / cubic metre**			
1995	1254	1204	1204	1154	1100	1150	1200	1100	1000	950	900	850	1089
1996	840	850	860	910	1010	1060	1080	1070	1070	1080	1090	1100	1002
1997	1150	1150	1140	1140	1160	1180	1175	1180	1180	1160	1170	1170	1163
Malaysia					**Light Red Meranti**					**Malaysian Ringgit / cubic metre**			
1995	954	890	890	890	850	880	900	860	730	710	685	650	824
1996	640	640	640	640	695	720	745	745	750	760	765	790	711
1997	800	800	800	800	805	840	825	825	825	825	830	830	817
Malaysia					**Jelotung**					**Malaysian Ringgit / cubic metre**			
1995	754	754	754	754	750	760	750	750	750	740	995	700	768
1996	690	700	710	730	780	785	790	790	800	795	805	810	765
1997	810	810	800	800	800	820	810	810	805	810	810	800	807

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Finland					**Export unit value**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	3681	3809	3751	3897	3752	3769	3771	3543	3430	3370	3268	2923	3579
1996	3084	2548	3129	3296	3075	3225	3070	3003	3245	3036	3264	2900	3060
1997	3021	2943	3032	3157	3174	3336	3220	3222	3321	3408	3465	3563	3235
Japan					**Lauan**				**Yen / sheet**				
1995	1190	1280	1310	1280	1190	1160	1130	1100	1170	1200	1200	1180	1199
1996	1200	1270	1310	1300	1300	1300	1310	1330	1360	1360	1380	1380	1317
1997	1390	1400	1410	1430	1410	1370	1330						
Poland					**Domestic**				**New Zlotys / cubic metre**				
1995	1350	1350	1350	1470	1470	1470	1500	1500	1500	1550	1550	1550	1468
1996	1490	1500	1550	1560	1560	1560	1570	1570	1570	1590	1590	1590	1558
1997	1620	1620	1620	1650	1650	1675	1675	1675	1750	1750	1800	1800	1690
Switzerland					**Import unit value**				**Francs / metric ton**				
1995	1953	2050	1994	2035	2083	1959	2033	1970	1966	2042	1846	1882	1985
1996	2190	2182	2077	2141	2005	2198	2130	1964	2016	2053	2100	1976	2086
1997	1881	2003	2164	2081	2016	2017	2147	2029	2018	1993	2180	2325	2071
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / cubic metre**				
1995	232.68	239.77	257.68	264.72	229.18	268.11	256.09	241.61	263.31	285.36	275.38	282.68	258.05
1996	238.86	249.65	224.40	273.23	256.16	275.38	269.36	247.83	253.37	261.66	260.77	293.42	258.67
1997	235.57	234.39	240.66	278.17	274.27	256.75	248.45	276.09	268.64	277.69	270.27	294.06	262.92

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FEUILLES DE PLACAGE

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Finland					**Export unit value**				**Markka / cubic metre**				
1995	2766	2642	2599	2799	3057	2594	2129	2574	2359	2551	2491	2265	2574
1996	2496	2473	2503	2325	2245	2400	3016	2795	2575	2376	2902	2402	2504
1997	2402	2186	2292	2307	2223	2295	1798	2444	2119	2386	2745	2674	2328
Switzerland					**Export unit value**				**Francs / metric ton**				
1995	10488	6719	6214	7255	8125	8980	7649	9964	8765	9983	9975	9470	8632
1996	12727	11611	8400	8030	7342	8662	7769	10181	9124	7483	7413	6845	8799
1997	17028	13174	7726	7393	7123	7515	7920	6716	7881	7045	6412	6393	8527
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / cubic metre**				
1995	821.72	810.19	822.87	1153.42	827.12	798.08	820.86	922.45	1324.95	860.13	1013.70	949.54	927.09
1996	911.98	774.69	258.65	792.08	473.99	635.53	721.82	671.26	770.03	824.07	843.26	756.91	702.86
1997	854.90	691.64	927.66	858.80	821.04	802.55	813.87	923.97	808.34	974.62	769.04	800.51	837.25

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PARTICLE BOARD & OSB

PANNEAUX DE PARTICULES & OSB

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
					PARTICLE BOARD					PANNEAUX DE PARTICULES			
Finland					**Export unit value**					**Markka / cubic metre**			
1995	1095	1222	1190	1135	1193	1115	1044	1162	1149	1156	1250	1020	1147
1996	1194	914	1078	958	959	1171	910	1046	1066	1018	1048	983	1021
1997	1026	1006	1125	1051	1235	1173	1172	1332	1181	1325	1204	1276	1175
Norway					**Export unit value**					**Kroner / cubic metre**			
1995	1217	1361	1346	1330	1291	1296	1332	1313	1400	1375	1392	1528	1348
1996	795	1382	1324	1253	1304	1282	1392	1355	1320	1313	1369	1377	1289
1997	1487	1535	1452	1457	1464	1449	1539	1465	1499	1491	1497	1547	1490
Poland					**Domestic**					**New Zlotys / cubic metre**			
1995	370	370	370	375	375	375	390	390	390	400	400	400	384
1996	375	375	375	380	380	380	385	385	385	390	390	390	383
1997	422	422	422	430	430	430	440	440	440	445	445	445	434
Switzerland					**Export unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	500.55	515.02	532.00	542.79	537.51	524.26	514.37	549.76	515.12	528.67	516.95	517.63	524.55
1996	510.82	499.90	509.39	502.64	486.47	470.03	517.70	478.79	478.46	489.94	503.53	510.90	496.55
1997	579.92	584.80	577.76	579.93	573.35	578.23	600.90	562.05	580.48	609.23	560.45	647.17	586.19
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**					**Pound Sterling / metric ton**			
1995	190.30	188.84	200.05	194.00	179.78	181.12	192.50	190.96	191.85	182.07	174.35	187.79	186.13
1996	209.72	158.71	201.22	159.47	176.96	201.56	183.94	153.80	194.14	155.55	165.01	174.07	177.85
1997	155.28	155.97	151.30	148.13	145.49	154.89	145.21	141.05	177.92	162.81	140.38	139.86	151.52
					OSB					OSB			
Switzerland					**Import unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	...	...	...	...	...	...	542.19	433.78	521.91	429.33	349.19	401.47	(446.31)
1996	336.48	313.76	302.09	566.27	503.26	766.51	699.10	631.28	719.81	643.51	644.56	575.63	558.52
1997	647.19	627.69	699.17	739.24	753.15	685.99	734.97	510.06	517.06	689.09	515.15	504.25	635.25

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FIBREBOARD (Total) / PANNEAUX DE FIBRES (Total)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Finland					Export unit value				Markka / metric ton				
1995	2202	2315	2172	2203	2038	2214	2233	2294	2281	2293	2058	2034	2193
1996	1783	2055	1935	1821	2013	1933	2028	2107	1803	1960	1978	2028	1938
1997	2039	2006	2010	2072	2008	2004	2102	2220	2086	2175	2048	2086	2068
Norway					Export unit value				Kroner / metric ton				
1995	5918	6278	6009	5917	5426	5519	4633	6572	6051	7798	8306	8079	6376
1996	7170	7428	7402	6748	7037	7391	6293	7386	6619	7501	8164	7848	7249
1997	7255	8805	5252	7650	7651	7945	8064	8433	7154	8389	8197	8097	7741
Switzerland					Import unit value				Francs / metric ton				
1995	795.33	704.83	667.27	745.39	724.31	727.92	785.91	788.51	750.35	710.90	728.48	711.57	736.73
1996	717.69	677.54	681.87	685.13	648.16	681.00	713.27	628.22	1184.67	685.91	627.65	665.83	716.41
1997	637.25	695.31	759.04	705.99	644.63	686.48	708.90	787.52	799.79	763.88	789.25	725.57	725.30
United Kingdom					Import unit value				Pound Sterling / metric ton				
1995	362.34	319.05	348.33	328.53	379.86	351.67	399.21	368.88	349.20	350.27	417.64	430.19	367.10
1996	416.03	463.18	387.68	432.55	411.93	387.52	360.42	454.17	397.92	455.05	450.22	372.89	415.80
1997	418.44	424.21	420.03	427.06	393.12	347.50	354.91	302.37	362.05	341.55	333.38	331.69	371.36

HARDBOARD / PANNEAUX DURS

Poland					Domestic				New Zlotys / square metre				
1995	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.90
1996	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.05
1997	2.31	2.31	2.31	2.31	2.31	2.31	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.43
United Kingdom					Import unit value				Pound Sterling / metric ton				
1995	416.18	331.95	354.32	350.21	394.39	388.98	420.40	408.90	387.19	369.44	470.78	427.65	393.37
1996	426.33	479.40	397.99	445.37	425.92	391.86	362.89	471.29	412.88	527.04	450.21	377.30	430.71
1997	416.74	422.63	420.26	425.72	397.39	438.54	365.58	383.89	402.83	336.94	366.54	340.50	393.13

INSULATING BOARD / PANNEAUX ISOLANTS

United Kingdom					Import unit value				Pound Sterling / metric ton				
1995	205.26	238.64	252.46	213.40	232.49	167.47	267.95	256.88	233.65	254.19	233.79	460.40	251.38
1996	252.29	305.52	278.99	316.11	248.26	345.97	311.65	274.34	267.47	308.39	451.16	270.35	302.54
1997	447.92	452.27	415.52	443.11	347.44	180.77	271.46	186.23	252.27	361.26	259.50	292.08	325.82

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Norway					**Export unit value**				**Kroner / metric ton**				
1995	2880	3138	3014	2887	3048	2791	3247	3478	3445	3498	3211	3784	3202
1996	3008	2779	2495	2234	2295	2260	2100	2205	2137	2216	2212	2080	2335
1997	2023	2082	2090	2054	2103	2161	2332	2253	2119	2209	2077	2284	2149
Sweden					**Export price**				**Kronor / metric ton**				
1995	3752	3580	4022	3711	4301	4136	4204	4228	4230	...	3784	3706	(3969)
1996	3789	3391	2828	2701	2485	2491	2656	2629	2540	2692	2613	2722	2795
1997	2675	2979	2852	2632	2748	2781	3212	3026	3337	3031	4071	2502	2987
Switzerland					**Import unit value**				**Francs / metric ton**				
1995	573	591	586	555	523	538	-	513	554	842	-	-	586
1996	503	651	415	423	754	500	480	411	425	443	388	472	489
1997	559	426	370	500	405	..	-	444	...	519	577	459	(473)
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / metric ton**				
1995	332	354	359	349	354	394	423	425	389	400	441	455	390
1996	391	339	325	276	293	274	299	261	214	256	227	247	283
1997	231	254	216	255	242	253	249	282	254	272	355	286	262

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CHIMIQUES

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
CHEMICAL (SULPHATE, BLEACHED)								**CHIMIQUES (AU SULFATE, BLANCHIES)**					
Finland					**Export unit value**					**Markka / metric ton**			
1995	3176	3232	3179	3380	3363	3678	3683	3671	3793	3829	3780	3239	3500
1996	3444	3028	2387	1895	1912	1889	2049	2142	2158	2232	2252	2242	2241
1997	2194	2181	2115	2065	2187	2285	2376	2583	2637	2675	2703	2698	2381
Norway					**Export unit value**					**Kroner / metric ton**			
1995	4518	4575	4558	4698	4766	5264	5351	5523	5541	5915	5771	5529	5168
1996	5117	4023	3880	2671	2626	2883	3052	3245	3265	3337	3272	3408	3398
1997	3214	3077	3027	3056	3440	3572	3624	3910	3878	3936	3939	3929	3550
Sweden					**Export price**					**Kronor / metric ton**			
1995	5160	5192	5183	5663	5820	6125	5992	6073	6189	6278	6079	5588	5779
1996	5458	4704	3709	3341	3118	3189	3285	3333	3492	3516	3517	3519	3682
1997	3529	3565	3482	3580	3795	3837	4039	4131	4195	4196	4298	4048	3891
Switzerland					**Import unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	884	941	933	944	773	1004	1073	1128	1108	1119	1072	1092	1006
1996	992	919	753	608	558	582	617	635	668	673	698	685	699
1997	706	723	705	692	689	736	780	810	814	820	816	825	760
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**					**Pound Sterling / metric ton**			
1995	442	394	495	427	518	530	559	548	571	591	584	584	520
1996	595	518	436	373	368	179	302	337	335	354	332	335	372
1997	375	308	329	283	293	341	298	333	337	332	365	324	326
CHEMICAL (SULPHATE, UNBLEACHED)								**CHIMIQUES (AU SULFATE, ECRUES)**					
Finland					**Export unit value**					**Markka / metric ton**			
1995	3511	3523	3332	3834	3514	4056	3910	3623	3528	3943	3667	3775	3655
1996	3387	3210	3225	3190	2420	2547	2952	3153	2504	3465	2613	2891	2899
1997	2560	2743	2645	2331	2760	2609	3147	2982	2875	3221	2827	3371	2812
Sweden					**Export price**					**Kronor / metric ton**			
1995	4404	4684	4665	5084	4912	5409	5644	5407	5653	5667	5422	5449	5200
1996	4891	3883	3217	2993	2731	2508	2751	2594	3136	2998	2948	2234	3074
1997	2837	2610	2660	2659	2900	3107	3141	3096	3260	3240	3864	3855	3102
Switzerland					**Import unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	795	814	785	870	879	901	943	965	978	926	982	990	902
1996	902	880	805	721	615	632	647	688	685	651	717	672	718
1997	706	724	710	648	725	662	725	773	737	759	713	713	716
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**					**Pound Sterling / metric ton**			
1995	342	468	536	587	536	653	487	552	512	486	557	-	520
1996	566	507	348	352	397	344	322	338	358	427	327	292	382
1997	328	307	275	291	367	407	299	582	314	294	300	307	339

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CHEMICAL (SULPHITE, BLEACHED)								**CHIMIQUES (AU BISULFITE, BLANCHIES)**					
Norway					**Export unit value**					**Kroner / metric ton**			
1995	4790	4934	4789	4808	5043	5255	4712	5351	5539	5323	5603	6230	5198
1996	4740	4766	4442	4086	4417	4215	3650	4384	4139	3001	4402	3813	4171
1997	3808	4418	4116	5089	4731	4459	3956	5161	5284	4678	3532	3228	4372
Sweden					**Export price**					**Kronor / metric ton**			
1995	5274	5415	5153	5531	5789	5977	6355	6243	6487	6525	5685	5724	5847
1996	5368	4995	3853	2988	2936	2928	3068	2936	3104	3319	3391	3351	3520
1997	3424	3175	3303	3321	3458	3540	3614	3781	3548	3843	3586	3966	3547
Switzerland					**Export unit value**					**Francs / metric ton**			
1995	927	960	952	952	983	1036	1082	1111	1073	1092	1057	945	1014
1996	825	784	629	580	594	640	648	647	627	613	611	629	652
1997	605	612	602	616	621	652	670	711	779	835	768	725	683
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**					**Pound Sterling / metric ton**			
1995	498	513	532	603	539	592	632	648	688	888	731	655	627
1996	707	634	606	941	485	489	394	506	526	383	397	476	545
1997	354	419	441	367	436	422	360	476	399	443	425	404	412
CHEMICAL (SULPHITE, UNBLEACHED)								**CHIMIQUES (AU BISULFITE, ECRUES)**					
Sweden					**Export price**					**Kronor / metric ton**			
1995	4967	4692	4884	5351	5051	5522	6579	5437	5580	5941	5499	4844	5362
1996	4912	3623	3197	3194	3020	2985	3295	3150	3209	3099	3018	3081	3315
1997	3256	3282	2854	3278	3267	3437	3766	3898	3642	4045	3737	4025	3541

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
		SEMI-CHEMICAL							MI-CHIMIQUES				
Finland					Export unit value				Markka / metric ton				
1995	2636	2529	2537	2682	2754	2761	2973	3053	3192	3210	3167	3158	2877
1996	2859	2592	2107	1810	1317	1659	1746	1713	1837	1783	1976	1851	1884
1997	1777	1840	1875	1916	1867	2006	2039	2193	2202	2265	2325	2325	2051
Norway					Export unit value				Kroner / metric ton				
1995	3322	3295	3430	3725	3833	4084	4371	5433	4489	3890	3681	3801	3946
1996	4173	3229	2884	3225	2858	2813	3610	2296	2997	3761	2846	2794	3124
1997	2445	2415	2372	2905	3251	4094	2892	2674	2816	2785	2931	2888	2872
United Kingdom					Import unit value				Pound Sterling / metric ton				
1995	360	304	312	305	314	355	313	485	336	363	478	321	354
1996	498	301	321	329	375	233	342	297	344	305	305	265	326
1997	291	375	283	317	278	303	268	277	310	300	397	320	310
		DISSOLVING							A DISSOUDRE				
Norway					Export unit value				Kroner / metric ton				
1995	5179	5042	5270	5348	5690	5632	6046	5812	5983	6493	6349	6266	5759
1996	6225	6115	5963	5565	5199	4955	4969	5002	4808	4413	4995	4849	5255
1997	4697	4544	4884	5164	5070	4678	5272	4928	5212	5232	4922	4787	4949
United Kingdom					Import unit value				Pound Sterling / metric ton				
1995	439	495	459	386	382	536	521	565	677	611	706	690	539
1996	372	614	719	578	558	665	543	513	569	870	513	522	586
1997	448	484	440	469	475	476	450	490	490	514	476	482	474

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PAPIER JOURBAL

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Finland					**Export unit value**				**Markka / metric ton**				
1995	2563	2589	2577	2614	2598	2667	3037	3122	3172	3187	3214	3191	2885
1996	3320	3412	3438	3463	3442	3362	3265	3110	3010	3709	2899	2841	3207
1997	2741	2662	2669	2667	2701	2602	2642	2709	2736	2697	2706	2755	2694
Switzerland					**Import unit value**				**Francs / metric ton**				
1995	869	864	887	855	870	867	899	924	940	921	962	972	902
1996	986	976	1087	1090	1052	1076	1090	1011	1098	1009	1007	1002	1040
1997	935	908	933	909	887	885	907	901	896	897	893	895	904
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / metric ton**				
1995	344	353	348	363	376	384	428	465	470	473	469	241	393
1996	498	534	529	514	518	513	504	476	461	412	435	427	485
1997	439	400	394	380	372	380	200	385	374	368	373	377	370

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Finland					**Export unit value**				**Markka / metric ton**				
1995	3816	3897	3905	4066	4165	4284	4473	4416	4439	4555	4569	4400	4235
1996	4556	4555	4503	4374	4265	4069	3871	3743	3644	3644	3667	3654	4027
1997	3620	3579	3648	3651	3698	3656	3620	3649	3725	3738	3799	3803	3687
Norway					**Export unit value**				**Kroner / metric ton**				
1995	4395	4593	4601	4737	4742	4713	5071	5224	5674	5546	5533	5479	5026
1996	5824	5890	5754	5519	5521	5046	5093	4784	4960	4982	4719	4674	5231
1997	4464	4230	4254	4276	4310	4405	4367	4348	4180	4479	4464	4298	4340
Switzerland					**Import unit value**				**Francs / metric ton**				
1995	1521	1558	1552	1588	1601	1639	1662	1629	1638	1641	1668	1672	1614
1996	1658	1661	1612	1548	1492	1461	1401	1348	1376	1377	1375	1363	1473
1997	1373	1341	1382	1368	1322	1369	1353	1307	1331	1354	1376	1358	1353
United Kingdom					**Import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / metric ton**				
1995	613	571	611	617	643	619	670	698	718	713	675	684	653
1996	709	776	683	639	661	635	607	919	664	631	629	684	686
1997	606	561	580	561	554	530	555	549	594	559	602	565	568

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OTHER

AUTRES

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Finland					**Fluting, export unit value**				**Markka / metric ton**				
1995	2049	2078	2086	2184	2328	2407	2442	2506	2441	2357	2280	2178	2258
1996	2116	2070	1973	1869	1715	1659	1580	1574	1577	1606	1620	1618	1738
1997	1616	1549	1586	1619	1595	1580	1588	1575	1600	1620	1664	1688	1608
Finland					**Kraftliner, export unit value**				**Markka / metric ton**				
1995	3457	3542	3563	3760	3789	3837	3860	3620	3532	3275	3339	2510	3469
1996	2797	3064	3113	3329	2858	2976	2905	2776	2744	2879	2943	2926	2954
1997	2972	2877	2899	2925	2967	2936	2914	2994	2954	3014	2996	3040	2963
Finland					**Sack kraft, export unit value**				**Markka / metric ton**				
1995	3341	3539	3703	3332	3649	3964	4017	4015	3927	4002	3944	3953	3756
1996	4043	4244	4117	4146	4128	4212	4472	3871	3807	3631	3668	3965	4053
1997	3915	3724	4033	3706	3781	3788	3727	3911	4056	3870	3955	3953	3862
Switzerland					**Kraftliner, import unit value**				**Francs / metric ton**				
1995	986	1050	992	1041	1011	1045	1105	1061	1052	1183	1071	1086	1057
1996	1004	931	943	955	962	855	739	911	791	857	915	873	895
1997	863	795	905	882	851	839	848	955	793	857	850	887	861
United Kingdom					**Kraftliner, import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / metric ton**				
1995	386	392	407	440	425	446	437	475	454	464	472	475	439
1996	446	436	403	390	360	342	316	330	309	288	338	293	354
1997	301	303	295	302	278	270	284	288	282	294	301	276	290
United Kingdom					**Sack kraft, import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / metric ton**				
1995	396	427	415	379	373	456	407	503	480	492	516	564	451
1996	539	532	498	501	589	466	529	566	470	487	500	498	515
1997	508	480	513	466	509	491	463	481	479	447	463	476	481
United Kingdom					**Other kraft, import unit value**				**Pound Sterling / metric ton**				
1995	627	465	462	600	669	814	575	551	651	649	463	607	594
1996	499	503	451	443	563	571	660	666	581	445	572	477	536
1997	471	419	482	573	489	484	508	523	500	495	661	485	507

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Austria a)													
1995	102	107	109	109	110	115	106	93	110	111	114	114	108
1996	101.4	108.9	115.0	110.2	115.9	120.7	104.4	94.1	119.3	116.8	121.7	126.2	112.9
1997	107.3	112.8	120.8	118.1	121.5	122.0	104.4	124.0					
Belgium													
1995	98	99	110	96	103	105	76	91	102	105	100	93	98
1996	100.6	100.3	107.0	103.1	100.8	104.3	87.1	88.9	108.1	113.8	104.0	100.7	101.6
1997	101.1	102.0	108.6	110.7	101.8	111.7	93.8	94.8	115.0	117.1	103.7		
Bulgaria b)													
1995	60	73	75	64	72	65	64	77	71	70	70	59	68
1996	50.0	58.5	53.6	52.0	55.2	57.2	63.7	77.4	65.1	60.9	60.6	51.9	58.8
1997	50.9	49.4	43.1	42.3	50.3	45.9	50.5	53.7	48.0	45.2	45.2	45.2	47.5
Canada a)													
1995	103	111	112	108	108	110	95	104	110	109	112	102	107
1996	108.6	116.3	115.8	113.2	113.0	116.0	103.9	112.4	117.5	117.8	121.8	109.4	113.8
1997	113.7	122.4	120.2	120.2	118.5	121.1	110.1	117.9	123.3	124.8	126.0	115.6	119.5
Denmark c)													
1995	111	109	130	102	119	128	86	122	123	124	126	109	116
1996	108.5	108.5	123.3	112.2	117.9	125.5	99.0	121.3	124.8	132.0	121.9	112.1	117.3
1997	113.5	112.1	116.0	122.4	118.4	132.4	104.8	122.5	135.7	137.6	128.0	123.3	122.2
Finland													
1995	114	108	127	112	123	119	85	120	122	126	127	108	116
1996	113.2	113.8	119.6	120.2	124.4	125.5	86.7	111.4	125.6	126.6	129.4	123.1	118.3
1997	124.5	124.4	132.8	133.0	134.9	136.9	101.0	123.5	134.9	138.8	146.3	141.5	131.0
France a)													
1995	111	102	114	98	100	103	93	77	98	105	104	97	100
1996	104.9	102.2	104.2	101.8	98.6	100.6	98.2	76.7	99.2	109.0	103.4	100.6	100.0
1997	105.0	101.0	103.5	107.9	100.9	105.6	101.8	79.8	104.9	116.5	107.5	108.4	103.6
Germany	**1991 = 100**												
1995	89	91	102	93	95	97	92	85	100	100	100	95	95
1996	89.9	91.9	101.1	94.9	93.8	96.7	93.7	87.2	101.9	104.1	103.1	97.4	96.3
1997	91.9	94.1	102.2	100.6	94.3	102.9	101.6	88.5	105.6	109.2	106.7	99.3	99.7
Greece a)													
1995	88	93	95	91	96	101	102	95	107	111	104	93	98
1996	88.9	95.2	95.3	92.8	99.2	102.5	105.2	93.8	111.6	108.7	105.1	92.6	99.2
1997	90.7	95.5	96.9	96.2	97.6	104.3	105.4	92.6	114.1	110.4	105.3		
Hungary													
1995	83	89	88	75	86	92	77	85	87	88	96	90	86
1996	85.3	93.3	87.8	80.0	83.9	92.6	83.8	82.6	90.0	93.9	101.5	97.7	89.4
1997	90.5	99.8	90.5	89.3	85.6	108.2	90.5	92.5	107.7	107.2	113.2	104.2	98.3
Ireland													
1995	137	145	159	158	161	160	148	144	166	175	177	170	158
1996	164.8	161.5	178.2	168.4	176.6	180.7	161.7	146.3	165.8	179.7	194.5	174.7	171.1
1997	187.3	178.4	210.7	193.5	192.4	204.6	187.2	177.7	203.6	212.7			
Italy													
1995	102	107	123	99	118	118	113	58	114	118	116	96	107
1996	106.1	111.3	115.6	103.5	115.3	110.1	118.1	52.0	110.7	118.2	108.1	93.6	105.2
1997	99.3	107.8	111.3	111.9	114.1	115.5	121.9	52.8	117.9				

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Japan													
1995	84	92	107	96	90	98	96	88	98	96	98	98	95
1996	87.4	95.4	104.4	96.4	92.6	97.0	102.1	89.4	102.0	102.2	102.1	101.4	97.7
1997	94.5	98.7	112.3	101.0	99.5	104.7	107.2	92.4	106.3	104.3			
Netherlands													
1995	112	101	118	100	104	106	89	95	103	112	118	116	106
1996	118.7	115.2	120.2	113.0	109.1	110.2	93.2	93.0	107.0	113.6	119.3	122.5	111.3
1997	118.0	116.8	117.3	117.3	110.7	112.4	97.2	95.4	108.7	117.6	125.6	122.6	113.3
Norway a)													
1995	130	132	130	124	123	123	107	120	131	134	141	133	127
1996	138.4	144.9	137.9	131.0	125.2	137.9	113.4	131.3	136.9	135.6	143.6	133.2	134.1
1997	140.8	144.0	132.3	141.5	134.5	138.3	115.0	131.6	138.6	146.2			
Poland													
1995	116	114	127	114	125	125	119	127	129	134	133	129	124
1996	128.1	125.2	137.9	131.9	136.0	128.1	134.8	136.2	139.8	151.2	139.5	142.0	135.9
1997	139.0	135.2	143.9	152.4	143.6	152.0	146.7	145.5	164.0	167.4	156.4	162.1	150.7
Portugal													
1995	103	102	103	100	102	102	103	72	98	104	104	101	100
1996	101.2	104.4	103.8	99.9	103.4	104.8	105.7	74.4	105.9	103.8	103.4	98.4	100.8
1997	101.9	105.0	104.4	104.7	101.4	107.8	109.2	74.5	109.0	109.7	109.5		
Romania d)													
1995	57	59	69	63	67	67	64	67	68	71	72	61	65
1996	62.3	63.9	71.1	71.7	71.8	74.9	69.9	69.0	75.8	75.6	79.3	75.5	71.7
1997	70.4	77.5	77.7	68.9	67.1	69.3	62.4	57.8	61.6	67.0	72.8	64.7	68.1
Spain													
1995	104	102	114	97	112	113	104	67	106	108	110	95	103
1996	102.7	102.4	106.4	98.3	108.4	106.2	110.4	66.4	104.8	114.8	108.5	96.8	102.2
1997	105.7	102.1	106.3	115.8	111.6	114.3	119.5	71.7	115.3				
Sweden a)													
1995	112	113	114	118	114	117	115	116	116	117	117	117	116
1996	116.4	117.3	118.9	119.4	122.0	125.3	121.8	121.1	122.8	120.8	126.4	133.0	122.1
1997	126.0	125.4	131.4	126.5	128.7	129.1	131.4	131.5	136.6	134.6	139.4	139.9	131.7
Switzerland													
1995			109			104			103			106	106
1996			101.3			102.0			99.4			109.4	103.0
1997			100.0			110.1			106.2				
United Kingdom													
1995	104	104	120	99	106	104	97	98	105	112	115	105	106
1996	108.5	111.1	115.9	105.1	107.8	102.0	103.1	96.1	106.1	116.1	114.3	110.4	108.0
1997	110.6	108.3	115.2	109.3	105.8	106.6	106.7	96.5	111.4	118.0	113.2	112.5	109.5
United States d)													
1995	115	115	115	114	114	114	115	116	116	115	116	116	115
1996	112.5	115.2	114.6	113.8	114.6	118.9	114.9	120.2	120.4	118.8	117.4	116.6	116.5
1997	118.0	119.8	119.8	119.7	119.3	127.1	124.2	129.9	130.2	129.6	127.8	126.8	124.4

TABLE 7
INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER AND WHOLESALE PRICES

TABLEAU 7
INDICES DES PRIX A LA PRODUCTION ET DES PRIX DE GROS

1990 = 100

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Austria e)													
1995	102	102	103	105	105	103	102	100	100	100	100	101	102
1996	101	102	102	102	103	102	102	101	101	102	102	102	102
1997	98	98	98	98	98	98	98	98					
Belgium													
1995	101	101	101	102	102	102	102	101	102	102	102	102	102
1996	102	102	103	102	102	102	102	102	103	103	103	103	102
1997	103	103	103	103	104	104	104	105					
Canada q)													
1995	115	115	116	116	117	118	118	118	118	118	118	119	117
1996	118	118	118	118	118	118	117	118	118	118	118	118	118
1997	118	118	119	119	119	119	119						
Denmark f)													
1995	102	103	103	103	103	103	103	103	103	103	103	103	103
1996	104	104	104	104	105	104	104	104	104	104	104	105	104
1997	105	105	105	106	107	106	106	107					
Finland													
1995	107	108	108	108	108	108	108	106	106	106	106	106	107
1996	106	106	106	106	106	106	106	105	106	106	106	106	106
1997	107	107	107	107	107	107	108	108					
France g)													
1995	91	90	90	89	90	90	88	88	89	89	90	90	90
1996	90	92	92	90	91	91	88	88	88	87	87	88	89
1997	108	107	107	107	108	108	108	108					
Germany													
1995	102	103	103	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104
1996	103	104	103	104	104	103	103	104	104	104	104	104	104
1997	104	104	104	104	105	105	105	105					
Greece h)													
1995	168	168	169	170	171	169	168	169	171	172	174	176	170
1996	179	179	181	182	183	180	179	179	182	183	182	183	181
1997	184	185	185	187	188	187	188	189					
Ireland i)													
1995	109	110	111	111	111	111	109	109	110	110	111	111	110
1996	112	112	112	112	112	111	111	111	110	110	110	108	111
1997	109	109	110	109	110	111	111						
Italy j)													
1995	122	124	127	129	130	131	130	130	132	132	132	133	129
1996	134	134	134	133	132	132	132	132	132	133	133	133	133
1997	133	133	134										
Japan s)													
1995	95	95	94	94	94	94	93	94	94	94	94	94	94
1996	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94	94
1997	95	95	95	97	96	96	96	96					
Netherlands													
1995	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104	104
1996	105	105	105	106	106	106	106	106	106	107	106	107	106
1997	107	107	107	108	108	108	108	109					

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1990 = 100

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Norway													
1995	105	105	105	107	107	107	107	108	107	107	107	107	106
1996	107	107	108	108	108	108	108	108	109	109	109	109	108
1997	109	109	109	109	110	110	...	111					
Spain k)													
1995	115	117	117	117	118	118	118	118	119	119	118	118	118
1996	119	120	120	120	120	120	119	119	120	120	120	120	120
1997	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	121					
Sweden j) l)													
1995	118	119	119	120	121	121	121	121	121	120	120	119	120
1996	119	119	119	119	118	118	117	117	117	118	117	118	118
1997	118	118	119	119	120	120	120	120					
Switzerland m)													
1995	101	101	101	101	101	101	100	100	100	100	100	99	100
1996	99	99	99	99	...	98	98	97	98	98	97	97	(98)
1997	97	97	98	98	98	98	98	98					
Turkey j) n) o)													
1995	1323	1416	1502	1553	1582	1602	1638	1675	1753	1818	1882	1964	1642
1996	2155	2281	2441	2638	2747	2822	2889	2998	3151	3324	3494	3631	2881
1997	3836	4074	4320	4559	4796	4960	5221	5498					
United Kingdom p)													
1995	115	116	116	117	117	118	118	118	119	119	119	119	118
1996	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
1997	120	121	121	121	121	121	120	120					
United States r)													
1995	106	106	107	107	107	108	108	108	108	108	108	109	108
1996	109	109	109	110	110	110	110	110	110	110	110	111	110
1997	112	110	109	109	110	109	109	109					

TABLE 8
EXCHANGE RATES (PERIOD AVERAGE)

TABLEAU 8
TAUX DE CHANGE (MOYENNE DE LA PERIODE)

National currency per U.S. Dollar
Monnaie nationale par Dollar E.U.

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Austria					**Schilling**								
1995	10.774	10.571	9.895	9.710	9.897	9.848	9.771	10.159	10.286	9.964	9.967	10.139	10.082
1996	10.278	10.312	10.393	10.591	10.788	10.747	10.591	10.430	10.595	10.756	10.637	10.919	10.586
1997	11.302	11.785	11.945	12.042	11.983	12.157	12.606	12.969	12.595	12.373	12.198	12.498	12.204
Belgium					**Francs**								
1995	31.549	30.926	29.005	28.353	28.985	28.778	28.565	29.693	30.066	29.102	29.129	29.609	29.480
1996	30.036	30.152	30.371	30.930	31.505	31.413	30.999	30.530	31.001	31.476	31.137	31.989	30.962
1997	33.067	34.528	35.010	35.289	35.133	35.636	36.966	38.039	36.943	36.253	35.751	36.672	35.774
Canada					**Dollar**								
1995	1.4129	1.4005	1.4073	1.3759	1.3608	1.3772	1.3609	1.3549	1.3507	1.3455	1.3532	1.3695	1.3724
1996	1.3666	1.3755	1.3653	1.3591	1.3688	1.3655	1.3689	1.3718	1.3693	1.3506	1.3384	1.3618	1.3635
1997	1.3486	1.3552	1.3718	1.3940	1.3805	1.3840	1.3771	1.3905	1.3869	1.3867	1.4133	1.4269	1.3846
Czech Republic					**Koruna**								
1995	27.762	27.396	26.223	25.867	26.237	26.139	26.010	26.638	26.925	26.310	26.323	26.658	26.541
1996	26.967	27.069	27.263	27.496	27.706	27.804	27.103	26.519	26.535	27.101	26.836	27.340	27.145
1997	27.516	28.166	29.202	29.860	31.022	32.375	33.576	34.240	33.630	32.917	33.140	34.729	31.698
Denmark					**Kroner**								
1995	6.034	5.928	5.630	5.427	5.500	5.469	5.411	5.599	5.667	5.492	5.489	5.580	5.602
1996	5.652	5.672	5.708	5.814	5.916	5.888	5.802	5.730	5.799	5.859	5.804	5.939	5.799
1997	6.117	6.382	6.476	6.514	6.486	6.574	6.820	7.018	6.814	6.690	6.590	6.772	6.604
Finland					**Markka**								
1995	4.7358	4.6433	4.3769	4.2650	4.3155	4.2983	4.2488	4.3000	4.3717	4.2696	4.2400	4.3351	4.3667
1996	4.4425	4.5520	4.6019	4.7313	4.7565	4.6713	4.5888	4.4777	4.5393	4.5714	4.5500	4.6398	4.5935
1997	4.7765	4.9757	5.0716	5.1307	5.1339	5.1732	5.3051	5.5097	5.3596	5.2695	5.2205	5.3714	5.1915
France					**Francs**								
1995	5.2943	5.2289	4.9833	4.8460	4.9908	4.9164	4.8325	4.9714	5.0431	4.9411	4.8865	4.9637	4.9915
1996	5.0056	5.0406	5.0591	5.1060	5.1914	5.1768	5.0934	5.0600	5.1283	5.1667	5.1160	5.2423	5.1155
1997	5.4169	5.6548	5.7195	5.7625	5.7431	5.8290	6.0436	6.2050	6.0149	5.8928	5.8082	5.9502	5.8367
Germany					**Deutsche Mark**								
1995	1.5324	1.5018	1.4066	1.3806	1.4077	1.4003	1.3894	1.4451	1.4623	1.4143	1.4165	1.4407	1.4331
1996	1.4617	1.4661	1.4777	1.5061	1.5334	1.5274	1.5050	1.4828	1.5058	1.5273	1.5117	1.5515	1.5047
1997	1.6043	1.6747	1.6969	1.7110	1.7033	1.7273	1.7919	1.8424	1.7906	1.7567	1.7331	1.7767	1.7341
Greece					**Drachmas**								
1995	238.20	235.91	228.75	224.92	228.27	226.21	225.46	232.04	235.90	232.56	233.80	237.22	231.60
1996	240.50	242.41	241.58	241.80	243.20	241.53	237.75	236.83	239.38	239.92	238.33	245.33	240.71
1997	251.55	262.45	266.86	270.15	271.48	273.68	280.98	288.89	282.18	276.87	271.99	279.62	273.06
Ireland					**Pound**								
1995	0.6420	0.6397	0.6250	0.6138	0.6174	0.6131	0.6096	0.6238	0.6289	0.6198	0.6222	0.6289	0.6237
1996	0.6315	0.6321	0.6359	0.6389	0.6397	0.6314	0.6236	0.6207	0.6210	0.6219	0.6007	0.6026	0.6250
1997	0.6123	0.6301	0.6393	0.6445	0.6609	0.6637	0.6682	0.6879	0.6754	0.6810	0.6653	0.6863	0.6596
Italy					**Lire**								
1995	1609.5	1618.8	1690.3	1713.2	1652.3	1639.0	1609.7	1605.4	1615.1	1605.7	1593.7	1602.8	1629.6
1996	1583.8	1572.4	1563.3	1565.6	1557.9	1542.2	1526.7	1516.6	1520.2	1525.0	1513.1	1528.4	1542.9
1997	1568.1	1655.2	1693.5	1692.8	1682.4	1694.9	1774.2	1798.8	1746.1	1721.2	1697.4	1742.6	1705.6
Japan					**Yen**								
1995	99.75	98.24	90.79	83.67	85.10	84.53	87.22	94.55	100.49	100.65	101.92	101.81	94.06
1996	105.84	105.73	105.82	107.46	106.45	108.86	109.32	107.75	109.75	112.36	112.26	113.76	108.78
1997	118.02	123.01	122.64	125.51	118.99	114.20	115.16	117.90	120.75	121.06	125.27	129.38	120.99

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Malaysia					**Ringgit**								
1995	2.5550	2.5530	2.5470	2.4808	2.4667	2.4439	2.4492	2.4305	2.5143	2.5324	2.5397	2.5404	2.5044
1996	2.5567	2.5436	2.5437	2.5129	2.4935	2.4973	2.4916	2.4935	2.5006	2.5078	2.5224	2.5255	2.5158
1997	2.4915	2.4873	2.4769	2.4994	2.5070	2.5170	2.5737	2.7441	3.0135	3.2919	3.3853	3.7695	2.8131
Netherlands					**Guilders**								
1995	1.7178	1.6837	1.5776	1.5463	1.5776	1.5674	1.5559	1.6185	1.6381	1.5845	1.5869	1.6137	1.6057
1996	1.6365	1.6413	1.6540	1.6828	1.7147	1.7109	1.6880	1.6631	1.6883	1.7142	1.6957	1.7412	1.6859
1997	1.8009	1.8814	1.9093	1.9232	1.9166	1.9433	2.0172	2.0734	2.0153	1.9790	1.9526	2.0031	1.9513
Norway					**Kroner**								
1995	6.7014	6.5942	6.2691	6.1881	6.2860	6.2364	6.1731	6.3377	6.3991	6.2376	6.2471	6.3521	6.3352
1996	6.4160	6.4051	6.4261	6.4996	6.5758	6.5312	6.3771	6.4091	6.4557	6.4844	6.3521	6.4657	6.4498
1997	6.4475	6.6236	6.8178	6.9655	7.0612	7.2041	7.4315	7.6286	7.3213	7.0753	7.0544	7.2501	7.0734
Poland					**New Zlotys**								
1995	2.4342	2.4438	2.3934	2.4000	2.3926	2.3446	2.3652	2.4399	2.4616	2.4429	2.4718	2.5098	2.4250
1996	2.5110	2.5442	2.5760	2.6214	2.6716	2.7145	2.7147	2.6357	2.7781	2.8189	2.8158	2.8579	2.6883
1997	2.9273	3.0279	3.0793	3.1212	3.1713	3.2385	3.3965	3.4817	3.4566	3.4223	3.5033	3.5256	3.2793
Portugal					**Escudos**								
1995	158.02	155.55	147.94	145.88	148.39	147.62	146.00	149.74	152.34	148.87	148.31	150.94	149.97
1996	151.61	152.43	152.94	154.54	157.59	157.16	154.77	152.23	153.81	154.45	152.79	156.61	154.24
1997	160.35	168.26	170.54	171.62	171.58	174.49	180.91	186.67	181.84	178.98	176.90	181.61	175.31
Spain					**Pesetas**								
1995	132.61	130.50	128.54	124.37	123.21	121.65	119.75	123.31	125.55	122.55	121.70	122.53	124.69
1996	123.20	123.51	124.40	125.71	127.99	128.82	127.02	125.73	126.96	128.63	127.23	130.73	126.66
1997	134.77	141.87	144.00	144.43	143.78	145.94	150.95	155.53	150.88	148.25	146.30	150.26	146.41
Sweden					**Kronor**								
1995	7.4675	7.3845	7.2686	7.3409	7.2899	7.2577	7.1794	7.2269	7.1257	6.8347	6.5931	6.6303	7.1333
1996	6.7240	6.8781	6.7272	6.7221	6.7996	6.6814	6.6425	6.6178	6.6407	6.6003	6.6235	6.8144	6.7060
1997	7.0671	7.4001	7.6543	7.6713	7.6733	7.7417	7.8046	7.9962	7.6995	7.5719	7.5536	7.7853	7.6349
Switzerland					**Francs**								
1995	1.2880	1.2710	1.1714	1.1371	1.1674	1.1581	1.1563	1.1980	1.1900	1.1461	1.1426	1.1638	1.1825
1996	1.1810	1.1954	1.1960	1.2109	1.2540	1.2570	1.2340	1.2033	1.2316	1.2584	1.2746	1.3271	1.2360
1997	1.3936	1.4535	1.4650	1.4619	1.4322	1.4422	1.4817	1.5145	1.4732	1.4526	1.4073	1.4382	1.4513
Turkey					**Liras**								
1995	40150	41080	41919	42306	42954	43204	44475	46796	47787	50072	52477	56920	45845
1996	60502	64218	68476	72976	76715	79805	82873	85065	88911	93942	98709	104757	81412
1997	112019	119080	124991	131379	137257	144418	153523	163535	170471	178293	187477	..	(147495)
United Kingdom					**Pound Sterling**								
1995	0.6350	0.6363	0.6248	0.6217	0.6298	0.6270	0.6271	0.6371	0.6422	0.6334	0.6395	0.6497	0.6336
1996	0.6535	0.6510	0.6548	0.6599	0.6603	0.6484	0.6437	0.6453	0.6414	0.6308	0.6014	0.6008	0.6409
1997	0.6023	0.6151	0.6229	0.6139	0.6123	0.6083	0.5983	0.6237	0.6252	0.6130	0.5925	0.6019	0.6108

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ANNEX TABLE 1
PRICE INDICES

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INDICES DE PRIX

ROUNDWOOD — BOIS RONDS

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Germany				Imported, coniferous							1991 = 100		
1995	95.8	95.8	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	99.7	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	98.3
1996	99.4	99.4	99.4	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	98.0
1997	98.5	98.5	97.2	99.9	101.5	101.5	102.6	103.6	104.9	104.9	104.9	105.9	102.0
Germany				Imported, non-coniferous							1991 = 100		
1995	102.2	101.9	102.2	101.4	102.3	101.4	101.4	101.4	100.6	100.6	100.3	100.3	101.3
1996	100.9	101.3	101.5	100.5	100.5	100.3	100.3	100.9	100.4	101.9	106.3	106.3	101.8
1997	106.9	107.4	107.5	106.9	107.3	107.3	107.4	107.0	107.5	107.9	108.5	108.7	107.5

FUELWOOD — BOIS DE CHAUFFAGE

Switzerland				Split							Sep-Dec 1992 = 100		
1995	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	93.7	93.7	93.7	93.7	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	96.2
1996	99.0	99.0	99.0	99.0	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.4	96.2
1997	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	97.0
Switzerland				Chips							Sep-Dec 1992 = 100		
1995	86.7	86.7	86.7	86.7	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9	84.9
1996	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.5
1997	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	80.2	80.2	80.2	80.2	79.9

PULPWOOD — BOIS DE TRITURATION

Canada				Raw material							1992 = 100		
1995	120.9	121.8	126.4	135.5	137.2	138.5	144.3	138.2	132.6	134.6	136.0	136.6	133.6
1996	132.3	128.4	123.4	122.5	119.2	119.4	116.4	114.3	112.4	114.3	110.9	110.6	118.7
1997	109.9	109.6	109.5	110.5	117.1	118.4	116.8	117.1	118.8	118.8	118.7	118.6	115.3
Canada				Chips							1992 = 100		
1995	126.7	131.7	138.0	150.8	155.3	158.6	170.2	170.1	172.2	176.6	172.2	167.5	157.5
1996	166.4	165.6	158.0	134.8	132.1	113.0	111.6	109.0	105.0	107.1	109.6	109.0	126.8
1997	103.8	99.3	101.2	102.0	103.4	103.5	104.5	105.0	106.9	107.5	108.6	108.3	104.5

CONIFEROUS LOGS — GRUMES DE CONIFERES

Germany				Spruce / fir, excluding VAT, domestically produced							1991 = 100		
1995	155.4	157.7	158.3	156.5	156.7	156.2	150.9	146.1	140.0	138.4	137.1	132.8	148.8
1996	136.0	132.3	129.2	128.0	123.9	125.0	125.2	126.4	126.6	131.6	136.1	137.5	129.8
1997	138.5	140.1	143.5	146.5	147.9	150.4	150.1	150.5	153.8	157.8	159.6	157.3	149.7

NON-CONIFEROUS LOGS — GRUMES DE NON-CONIFERES

Germany				Oak B, excluding VAT, domestically produced							1991 = 100		
1995	114.2	117.1	112.9	115.2	113.1	110.6	108.4	102.0	113.4	102.6	102.5	118.2	110.9
1996	100.3	104.2	95.0	91.8	73.1	81.5	73.8	80.0	80.4	84.3	81.6	87.3	86.1
1997	97.6	103.6	106.6	94.0	93.7	98.0	88.1	85.6	84.9	86.4	87.8	94.2	93.4
Germany				Beech B, excluding VAT, domestically produced							1991 = 100		
1995	135.9	135.9	132.5	131.8	129.8	129.4	122.4	112.0	103.6	116.4	109.3	140.6	125.0
1996	137.2	136.1	131.6	130.4	129.1	125.1	115.5	117.8	115.6	131.1	132.7	134.3	128.0
1997	133.9	132.8	131.1	127.9	126.9	127.6	118.8	117.8	121.4	122.1	130.9	137.7	127.4

ANNEX TABLE 2
PRICE INDICES

TABLEAU ANNEXE 2
INDICES DE PRIX

CONIFEROUS SAWNWOOD

SCIAGES CONIFERES

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Canada				**Ontario**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1996	136.1	140.5	145.6	156.2	181.8	182.6	186.3	203.1	209.9	197.4	196.5	185.6	176.8
1997	188.7	188.7	190.5	201.3	196.4	188.4	190.7	190.0	183.2	171.0	168.9	165.5	185.3
Canada				**Douglas fir, British Columbia**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	153.2	152.9	152.1	147.7	144.9	144.2	149.6	151.3	159.8	152.3	149.8	146.2	150.3
1996	150.5	150.3	149.2	148.6	154.1	150.0	154.1	154.3	153.4	152.2	153.9	152.6	151.9
1997	152.0	153.3	153.7	154.0	152.5	152.5	152.6	151.9	146.5	142.1	139.9	142.0	149.4
France				**Spruce / fir, edged (carpentry), domestically produced**							**July 1990 = 100**		
1995	100.8			101.4			97.6			95.4			98.8
1996	91.6			95.1			95.7			94.3			94.2
1997	94.6			94.6			94.9			95.7			95.0
Germany				**Square-edged, width 8-16 cm, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	99.1	99.1	99.2	98.8	98.3	97.2	96.2	94.5	93.1	92.0	91.0	89.4	95.7
1996	88.2	86.7	88.3	88.0	86.4	87.1	88.2	88.2	87.3	87.3	87.3	86.9	87.5
1997	86.7	87.4	87.8	89.5	90.7	91.8	92.9	93.1	93.6	93.9	93.5	93.1	91.2
Germany				**Imported, total**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	101.4	101.5	99.2	98.7	97.4	96.9	94.2	92.4	90.1	89.1	89.5	90.3	95.1
1996	89.7	89.4	88.9	89.3	89.0	89.8	90.1	90.4	92.1	94.0	96.5	97.6	91.4
1997	97.8	99.9	100.7	101.2	101.7	102.1	102.8	102.8	102.5	100.8	98.3	96.6	100.6
Germany				**Imported, from Scandinavia**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	98.5	98.3	96.4	95.9	94.0	94.1	90.5	87.7	85.2	85.1	86.0	87.1	91.6
1996	86.9	86.9	86.6	87.3	86.4	87.4	87.9	88.4	90.5	92.4	96.0	97.5	89.5
1997	96.2	98.2	97.9	97.8	98.5	98.3	98.7	98.5	98.6	96.6	93.5	91.4	97.0
Germany				**Imported, from Austria**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	106.8	107.3	107.3	107.3	106.4	105.1	103.3	102.8	101.5	98.3	96.7	96.7	103.3
1996	96.3	94.7	94.2	93.6	94.0	94.4	95.6	96.5	96.5	101.1	99.5	98.6	96.3
1997	98.6	99.5	101.8	101.8	104.0	104.4	104.4	104.4	105.3	103.6	101.3	101.3	102.5
Germany				**Imported, from Eastern Europe, including Russian Fed.**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	97.0	97.5	96.6	95.8	93.8	92.7	90.5	88.9	85.3	83.8	84.1	84.1	90.8
1996	82.9	82.3	81.3	80.7	80.9	81.7	81.9	82.1	83.1	83.8	86.7	87.8	82.9
1997	90.7	92.6	94.7	95.8	96.1	96.7	96.3	96.0	95.2	94.5	92.2	89.2	94.2
Germany				**Imported, from America**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	117.4	116.3	107.0	106.2	108.4	106.3	105.6	106.0	105.7	102.8	102.8	104.6	107.4
1996	103.8	103.6	105.6	107.5	107.9	108.6	107.3	106.4	109.7	113.5	113.3	115.2	108.5
1997	118.4	123.2	125.8	128.4	127.4	130.6	135.8	137.1	134.0	131.5	129.2	130.9	129.4

ANNEX TABLE 3
PRICE INDICES

TABLEAU ANNEXE 3
INDICES DE PRIX

NON-CONIFEROUS SAWNWOOD

SCIAGES NON-CONIFERES

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
France				**Oak, plots, domestically produced**							**July 1990 = 100**		
1995	108.0			108.3			109.3			109.3			108.7
1996	108.7			108.2			107.6			107.1			107.9
1997	108.6			108.0			108.0			106.8			107.9
France				**Beech, plots, domestically produced**							**July 1990 = 100**		
1995	108.1			115.2			119.4			121.8			116.1
1996	115.5			115.5			118.4			114.7			116.0
1997	119.7			121.5			122.3			123.9			121.9
Germany				**Total, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	100.5	100.9	101.1	101.5	101.6	101.4	101.4	101.6	101.6	101.4	101.5	101.4	101.3
1996	101.4	101.4	101.5	101.3	100.9	100.7	100.7	100.7	101.0	101.0	100.7	100.5	101.0
1997	100.5	100.4	100.5	100.2	100.2	100.3	100.2	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.0	99.9	100.3
Germany				**Oak, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	98.1	97.9	98.0	98.1	98.1	98.1	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.4	98.5	98.5	98.2
1996	98.5	98.8	98.7	98.8	98.1	97.9	97.8	97.8	97.8	98.6	98.6	98.5	98.3
1997	98.6	98.4	98.3	98.2	98.6	98.8	98.6	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.2	98.0	98.5
Germany				**Beech, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	109.9	111.4	111.6	112.5	112.7	113.3	113.3	113.5	113.5	113.5	114.2	114.0	112.8
1996	114.0	114.0	114.0	113.5	113.4	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.8	113.6
1997	113.8	113.8	113.9	113.3	113.2	113.3	113.4	113.5	113.4	114.0	113.9	114.1	113.6
Germany				**Imported, total**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	115.3	112.8	111.1	110.0	110.1	109.2	109.4	109.8	109.5	108.1	108.1	108.1	110.1
1996	108.6	108.3	106.6	107.3	107.0	106.4	106.1	105.2	106.1	106.5	106.1	106.9	106.8
1997	108.8	110.3	110.4	111.0	110.6	111.0	112.4	114.3	111.6	110.5	108.7	106.8	110.5
Germany				**Imported, from Europe**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	99.6	99.6	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.0
1996	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7
1997	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	106.0	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	106.7
Germany				**Imported, from other regions than Europe**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	122.4	118.7	115.0	113.4	113.5	112.2	112.5	113.1	112.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	113.8
1996	110.9	110.4	108.0	108.9	108.5	107.6	107.2	105.9	107.2	107.8	107.1	108.3	108.2
1997	111.1	113.3	113.4	114.2	113.7	114.2	115.3	116.0	112.1	110.5	107.9	105.1	112.2

ANNEX TABLE 4
PRICE INDICES

TABLEAU ANNEXE 4
INDICES DE PRIX

WOOD-BASED PANELS

PANNEAUX A BASE DE BOIS

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Canada				**Plywood, Douglas fir**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	131.7	130.9	134.0	127.8	126.1	118.9	127.4	128.6	133.2	131.0	129.1	127.0	128.8
1996	122.0	123.9	125.5	124.6	128.5	128.6	133.4	137.5	138.9	140.3	146.2	148.1	133.1
1997	147.2	136.8	142.1	142.8	133.7	128.8	127.5	125.3	127.8	128.9	120.8	120.7	131.9
Canada				**Plywood, softwood, excluding Douglas fir**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	149.5	143.0	147.2	135.5	132.1	119.1	136.4	143.4	149.6	145.2	140.2	135.0	139.7
1996	126.6	126.4	129.0	129.6	133.2	135.9	143.6	149.1	150.3	151.0	158.8	161.0	141.2
1997	158.5	149.2	154.4	154.5	146.9	141.4	138.8	135.8	138.7	141.4	132.5	132.5	143.7
Canada				**Particle board and waferboard**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	139.8	141.4	140.9	135.6	130.7	117.9	134.1	134.9	145.9	145.2	142.7	132.7	136.8
1996	125.7	125.0	121.2	118.1	126.8	121.7	117.9	115.6	131.5	116.3	105.3	99.5	118.7
1997	94.2	96.2	93.7	93.0	92.7	92.9	92.7	93.9	102.6	99.3	105.8	103.2	96.7
France				**Veneer sheets**							**1990 = 100**		
1995			102.3			106.6			102.7			101.4	103.3
1996			105.4			100.7			102.3			101.5	102.5
1997			99.2			98.0			94.4			96.2	97.0
France				**Plywood**							**1990 = 100**		
1995			104.9			102.3			101.7			99.2	102.0
1996			104.3			103.6			103.7			105.1	104.2
1997			107.0			112.2			114.2			112.5	111.5
France				**Particle board**							**1990 = 100**		
1995			97.8			103.0			104.8			100.1	101.4
1996			97.7			96.9			93.7			92.7	95.3
1997			94.8			94.3			93.1			92.8	93.8
Germany				**Plywood, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	100.5	101.1	101.9	102.4	102.8	102.5	102.5	102.4	102.6	102.8	102.5	102.4	102.2
1996	102.5	102.4	102.0	101.8	102.1	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.5	101.5	101.2	101.5	101.8
1997	101.9	101.7	101.3	101.7	101.8	101.5	101.7	102.5	102.8	102.9	102.4	103.1	102.1
Germany				**Plywood, imported**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	103.6	103.0	102.2	100.7	99.5	99.8	100.7	102.1	101.6	97.5	98.6	97.8	100.6
1996	98.6	99.7	100.5	99.9	99.4	98.4	99.5	98.1	98.7	98.9	101.2	101.7	99.6
1997	103.8	103.7	106.2	106.2	105.0	103.8	106.3	106.7	107.0	105.9	104.5	104.5	105.3
Germany				**Particle board, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	85.9	88.9	91.5	92.7	94.7	95.9	96.3	96.4	96.3	94.8	94.1	92.8	93.4
1996	91.8	89.8	88.2	87.1	85.7	85.0	83.2	83.2	80.0	80.0	80.0	79.6	84.5
1997	80.4	80.2	80.7	81.4	82.6	82.8	82.3	82.1	82.2	81.5	81.4	81.0	81.6
Germany				**Particle board, imported**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	97.2	100.6	101.2	104.9	106.7	106.7	105.1	104.6	103.4	101.9	101.7	97.2	102.6
1996	96.4	96.9	95.2	94.5	93.4	92.6	90.5	88.6	87.8	86.6	86.0	85.4	91.2
1997	86.7	87.8	88.7	88.4	89.0	88.5	89.3	88.6	88.8	88.7	89.7	89.7	88.7
Germany				**Fibreboard, imported**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	95.5	95.5	93.2	93.2	97.0
1996	93.2	91.8	91.8	91.8	91.7	91.7	90.3	91.2	91.2	89.8	89.8	89.8	91.2
1997	91.2	92.6	92.6	92.6	92.6	94.4	94.4	94.4	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.2

ANNEX TABLE 5
PRICE INDICES

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INDICES DE PRIX

WOODPULP

PATES DE BOIS

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Canada				**Chemical, sulphate, bleached**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	139.5	142.9	153.1	156.9	157.5	171.6	173.3	173.7	174.0	182.1	185.0	178.5	165.7
1996	178.3	148.9	121.5	104.3	106.2	108.8	115.5	116.4	116.6	118.0	113.5	114.2	121.9
1997	112.8	111.8	109.1	109.6	113.9	115.6	120.9	122	121.6	122.5	124.8	123.2	117.3
Canada				**Chemical, sulphite, bleached**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	155.8	156.9	162.9	168.3	168.5	186.7	184.4	184.0	177.1	173.2	167.4	162.3	170.6
1996	151.5	135.0	97.2	87.7	85.4	92.9	98.3	103.4	103.4	101.0	96.8	95.2	104.0
1997	92.9	94	87.9	88.8	94.9	96.4	98.2	104.3	105.3	107.8	110.2	110.2	99.2
France				**Mechanical**							**1990 = 100**		
1995	104.6	109.9	118	117.3	143.8	129.4	156.4	133	137.4	138.2	138.2	133.8	130.0
1996	153.3	103.8	91	78.6	83.4	87.6	81.3	65	88.6	72.4	81.1	91.5	89.8
1997	91.5	69.7	75.9	78.2	91.8	107.1	108.9	87.1	131.8	72.9	110.1	140.5	97.1
France				**Chemical, bleached**							**1990 = 100**		
1995	94.8	96.2	95.2	101.3	99.7	107.7	108.6	111	106.2	111.9	113.7	108.6	104.6
1996	105.5	88.2	69.8	56.9	57.2	59.3	63.5	64.6	66.4	65.8	66.7	64.2	69.0
1997	64.8	64.7	65.5	63.9	69.3	71.1	74.9	81.5	81.2	82	81.5	82.1	73.5
France				**Chemical, unbleached**							**1990 = 100**		
1995	78.9	117.1	121.7	123	121.2	126.1	135.4	117.4	139.5	131.2	132	132.4	123.0
1996	121.8	111.1	86.2	78.2	79.5	77.6	82.9	81.9	107.2	84.3	81.4	78.7	89.2
1997	79.6	85.1	91.6	82.8	89.2	93.4	87.9	91.8	100.9	100.3	93	94.9	90.9

ANNEX TABLE 6
PRICE INDICES

TABLEAU ANNEXE 6
INDICES DE PRIX

PAPER AND PAPERBOARD

PAPIERS ET CARTONS

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN-DEC
Canada				**Newsprint, domestic**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	119.4	123.1	131.3	134.1	154.2	155.6	155.6	156.3	170.3	173.0	173.4	173.5	151.7
1996	179.7	179.7	179.8	175.9	172.9	164.1	159.0	151.0	146.1	139.2	134.1	133.7	159.6
1997	130.0	128.3	134.9	138.2	136.2	139.6	139.0	140.9	140.8	142.3	142.7	143.2	138.0
Canada				**Printing and special paper,woodfree, domestic**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	127.1	127.2	132.0	137.9	139.4	141.3	145.5	144.9	144.0	148.0	146.7	146.2	140.0
1996	149.4	141.2	127.8	124.0	123.3	132.9	127.8	126.0	125.3	126.0	125.6	123.3	129.4
1997	122.8	121.4	120.3	121.6	122.7	124.0	124.5	124.5	125.3	125.5	124.9	125.5	123.6
Canada				**Wrapping and converting paper, domestic**							**1992 = 100**		
1995	127.9	130.8	138.2	139.3	142.3	147.0	147.9	147.8	148.3	148.3	146.9	145.1	142.5
1996	138.9	137.0	134.7	130.6	130.4	131.1	135.3	132.1	130.2	129.0	127.8	129.3	132.2
1997	120.1	119.6	117.5	117.4	117.9	116.5	116.2	115.1	115.6	117.1	117.2	117.1	117.3
France				**Newsprint**							**1990 = 100**		
1995	94.5	96.0	97.3	97.8	97.2	97.2	114.0	116.6	118.2	118.0	118.3	118.3	107.0
1996	122.2	122.8	122.0	121.5	120.5	120.4	117.2	116.8	116.7	115.5	114.2	112.6	118.5
1997	100.6	100.3	100.1	99.6	99.7	99.2	99.5	99.4	99.5	99.3	99.4	99.4	99.7
France				**Printing and writing paper**							**1990 = 100**		
1995	91.8	92.6	93.8	96.7	99.0	101.0	102.2	101.4	101.1	99.1	97.2	93.6	97.5
1996	93.4	90.4	86.7	81.8	77.4	74.7	74.3	74.4	76.1	77.4	78.0	76.8	80.1
1997	79.3	81.1	80.8	81.2	80.4	80.0	79.7	79.5	80.8	82.9	83.3	83.4	81.0
France				**Other paper and paperboard**							**1990 = 100**		
1995	99.1	99.6	100.4	101.4	102.9	103.7	105.8	106.4	107.5	106.9	106.4	105.5	103.8
1996	104.6	103.9	102.3	100.6	99.8	99.0	98.6	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6	97.1	99.8
1997	96.9	96.5	95.8	95.9	96.2	96.2	96.2	95.8	96.2	96.5	96.7	96.7	96.3
Germany				**Newsprint, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	79.1	80.7	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	92.7	96.9	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	88.5
1996	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	97.2	97.2	96.3	96.1	99.5
1997	83.6	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.2	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.7	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.3
Germany				**Kraft paper, domestically produced**							**1991 = 100**		
1995	93.1	95.5	95.5	100.4	101.7	104.1	105.8	105.0	105.0	105.0	101.7	101.7	101.2
1996	100.9	96.9	96.1	92.5	91.2	90.4	88.0	88.8	88.8	88.0	88.0	88.0	91.5
1997	87.2	88.0	91.2	85.6	85.6	87.2	87.7	88.8	88.8	91.2	91.9	92.2	88.8

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The ECE Timber Committee shall, within the context of sustainable development, provide member countries with the information and services needed for policy- and decision-making regarding their forest and forest industry sector ("the sector"), including the trade and use of forest products and, when appropriate, formulate recommendations addressed to member Governments and interested organizations. To this end, it shall:

1. With the active participation of member countries, undertake short-, medium- and long-term analyses of developments in, and having an impact on, the sector, including those offering possibilities for the facilitation of international trade and for enhancing the protection of the environment;

2. In support of these analyses, collect, store and disseminate statistics relating to the sector, and carry out activities to improve their quality and comparability;

3. Provide the framework for cooperation e.g. by organizing seminars, workshops and *ad hoc* meetings and setting up time-limited *ad hoc* groups, for the exchange of economic, environmental and technical information between governments and other institutions of member countries that is needed for the development and implementation of policies leading to the sustainable development of the sector and to the protection of the environment in their respective countries;

4. Carry out tasks identified by the UN/ECE or the Timber Committee as being of priority, including the facilitation of subregional cooperation and activities in support of the economies in transition of central and eastern Europe and of the countries of the region that are developing from an economic point of view;

5. It should also keep under review its structure and priorities and cooperate with other international and intergovernmental organizations active in the sector, and in particular with the FAO (Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations) and its European Forestry Commission and with the ILO (International Labour Organisation), in order to ensure complementarity and to avoid duplication, thereby optimizing the use of resources.

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Dans le contexte d'un développement durable, le Comité du bois de la CEE fournit aux pays membres les informations et services dont ils ont besoin pour leurs orientations et leurs décisions dans le domaine de la foresterie et du secteur de l'industrie forestière, notamment le commerce et l'utilisation des produits forestiers ("le secteur") et, s'il y a lieu, formule des recommandations à l'intention des gouvernements des pays membres et des organisations intéressées. A cette fin, le Comité :

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2. Recueille et diffuse des statistiques sur le secteur à l'appui de ces analyses, et oeuvre en vue d'améliorer leur qualité et leur comparabilité;

3. Sert de cadre à la coopération, par exemple en organisant des séminaires, des ateliers et des réunions spéciales et en constituant des groupes spéciaux de durée limitée, pour l'échange d'informations économiques, écologiques et techniques entre gouvernements et autres organismes des pays membres, informations nécessaires à l'élaboration et à l'application de leurs politiques visant au développement durable du secteur et à la protection de l'environnement;

4. Mène des activités considérées comme prioritaires par la Commission ou le Comité, notamment la facilitation de la coopération sous-régionale et des activités propres à venir en aide aux économies en transition d'Europe centrale et d'Europe orientale et aux pays de la région qui se développent du point de vue économique;

5. Passe constamment en revue sa structure et ses priorités et coopère avec d'autres organisations internationales et intergouvernementales oeuvrant dans ce secteur et en particulier la FAO (Organisation des Nations Unies pour l'alimentation et l'agriculture) et sa Commission européenne des forêts et l'OIT (Organisation Internationale du Travail) afin d'assurer la complémentarité des tâches et d'éviter tout chevauchement des activités, de manière à optimiser l'emploi des ressources.

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